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FINAL APPEAL MADE TO VOTERS OF CITY BY THE RECALLERS

Bitter Personal Attacks on Mayor and Police Commissioners and Assaults on Newspapers Mark the Last Meeting.

KEY COMES TO DEFENSE OF EAGAN AND JACKSON

Recallers Did Not Bring Negroes Into Campaign, But Will Seek to Win Their Votes, Declares McCord.

Bitter personal attacks on the mayor, the members of the police commission against whom the recall proceedings have been instituted and the newspapers of Atlanta featured last night's meeting at the Atlanta theater, at which the members of the recall campaign committee made their final plea to the voters of the city for support of the recall movement. Although Asa G. Candler had been announced as one of the speakers, he was not present.

With every seat on the first floor of the theater taken, the stage occupied by between sixty and seventy-five men and a scattering of voters in the galleries, the speakers were given ovation after ovation as they heaped invectives on the men whose names will appear on the recall ballots and as they derided the newspapers.

A band, which paraded the business section prior to the meeting, gave a concert in front of the theater as the crowd gathered, and added enthusiasm to the meeting by playing "America" as the curtain rose and rendering "Dixie" as the throng passed from the structure.

H. Y. McCord Presides.

H. Y. McCord presided at the meeting. He declared that the campaign is the most important in the history of Atlanta, and said that the movement is one which should have the support of every working man in the city of Atlanta. He had spoken less than two minutes before he launched a bitter attack against the press of Atlanta, and declared that, although every paper in the city is fighting the recall, not one of them has commended the police commissioners for their demotion of James L. Beavers as chief of police.

The papers have been able to say a good word for only one of the six men whom the people of Atlanta will recall January 5, continued Mr. McCord, and he declared that with the removal of this one man's name from the ballots the matter would be settled in a hurry. He declared with vehemence, however, that the movement is greater than any one man or any dozen men. He branded as false the report that members of the recall movement are seeking office with the statement that not one of them would have a job within the gift of the city.

The trial of Beavers, said Mr. McCord, was the greatest farce in the history of the city. Grouping the three daily papers with a negro publication, Mr. McCord denied that the negroes have been brought into this campaign by the recallers. He said that he had given his support to Hoke Smith when white supremacy was one of Smith's platform planks. The speaker added, however, that there are a few negroes in Atlanta who are entitled to vote and who will cast their ballots on election day. He declared that if he can do so he will win the votes of these negroes and will be glad to see them vote for the removal of the men "who have brought disgrace to the city."

Letter From Asa Candler.

Explaining the failure of Asa G. Candler to appear as a speaker at Monday night's meeting, Mr. McCord said that some of the anti-recallers have started a rumor that Mr. Candler has withdrawn his support from the movement. He declared that such a report is absolutely without foundation and reminded his hearers that members of the Candler family are not quitters. He read a letter from Mr. Candler in which the latter declared that

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RUSSIANS GAINING IN THE STRUGGLE ON GALICIA FRONT

It Is Evident That the Advance of the Czar's Forces Has Extended Far Beyond Stripa River.

RESULT OF THE BATTLE WILL AFFECT BALKANS

Especially Is the Outcome Expected to Influence the Future Plans of Rumania. Heavy Cannonading on the West Front.

London, January 3.—Heavy fighting continues along the Russian front from the Pripet marshes to the Bukowina frontier. Vienna reports that the Russians are on the offensive at various places, but that all their attacks have been repulsed.

Dispatches from other sources, however, indicate that the Russian army of General Ivanoff is gaining ground. It is evident the Russian advance has extended far beyond the Stripa river.

It is asserted that two great offensive actions clashed, the Russians having advanced as a threat against the Teutons in their Balkan operations, while the Austrians and Germans felt the necessity of improving their positions against the attack expected from General Ivanoff early in the spring. The result of these operations will have an important effect on the Balkan campaign, especially in their influence on the future plans of Rumania.

CANNON DUELS IN THE WEST.

Artillery engagements and mining and sapping operations continue on the French, Austro-Italian and Dardanelles fronts.

Paris mentions heavy cannonading in several districts along the Franco-Belgian front. A withdrawal of French troops along a 200 meter front in the Hartmanns-Weilerkopf sector after a violent bombardment by the Germans is admitted. Two German munitions depots in Belgium were blown up by French guns.

There has been no change at Saloniki as concerns the entente allies, who have not yet, so far as is known, replied to Greece's protest against their fortifying the district against possible attack by the Teutonic allies, or answered Greece's representations concerning the arrest of the consuls of the central powers and their allies.

It is reported with increasing frequency that the central powers are planning an attack on Saloniki, but they are said to be experiencing difficulties with Bulgaria which, according to these reports, does not wish to participate in such a campaign unless it promises something more than expulsion of the allies from Saloniki.

BITTER FIGHTING, AUSTRIANS REPORT.

Berlin, January 3.—(Via Wireless to Sayville.)—The Austro-Hungarian official communication of January 3 as received here says:

"Bitter fighting is going on along the Bessarabian front. The enemy made the utmost efforts to break the Austro-Hungarian front in the Torpo-routz district, which all failed. Three officers and 850 soldiers were made prisoners.

"Isolated Russian advances on the Seretli, at the mouth of the Lower Stripa, in the Kormin district and on the Styr river, were repulsed.

"Balkan theater: A Montenegrin detachment which undertook an advance near Moykovac on the north bank of the Tara river, was routed."

Vienna, June 3.—(Via London.)—The official communication issued today says that no important events have occurred on the Austro-Italian front.

GERMANS CAUGHT BY FRENCH FIRE.

Paris, January 3.—The French war office statement this afternoon reads:

"In the Champagne district near the highway between Tahure and Somme-Py a German attack, in which hand grenades were used, was repulsed.

"In the Argonne district near Four de Paris, there was an efficacious fir-

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Defeat of Recall Paramount Issue States Wilkinson

Declares He Will Under No Condition Consider Running for Mayor for Short Term Should Mayor Woodward Be Recalled.

Declaring unequivocally that the defeat of the recall was the paramount question now before the voters of Atlanta, Mell R. Wilkinson yesterday put a quietus upon the efforts during the past few days of advocates of the recall movement to convey the impression generally that in the event of Mayor Woodward was recalled in Wednesday's election, Mr. Wilkinson might be induced to make the race for the short term against Mayor Woodward, who, it was stated, would make the race to succeed himself. The law prohibiting a mayor from running for office more than two consecutive times would not apply if Mayor Woodward should be recalled.

"You can state for me," declared Mr. Wilkinson to a Constitution representative, "that I am in nowise a candidate for the office and that I will under no condition consider making the race for the unexpired term.

"You can further say for me that I am most positively not in favor of the recall and that I deeply deplore the strife and friction this movement has engendered in the civic life of Atlanta. The paramount question before the city at present is the defeat of the recall, and I am more interested in the accomplishment of that than in any possibility of being the mayor of Atlanta."

Asked as to whether he would be a candidate for mayor at the expiration of the present term, December 31, 1916, Mr. Wilkinson declared that he did not consider there was any occasion for discussing now an election which was still twelve months off.

Officer Hunting For "Sugar Babe" And His Warrant

Courtney Apparently Didn't Care if He Was Arrested, But Finally He Decides Freedom Is Preferable.

This is the story of the man who didn't care if he was arrested.

C. S. ("Sugar Babe") Courtney was "wanted" in Spartanburg, S. C., in connection with an alleged "bum" financial document, it seems, and following various telegrams "Sugar Babe" was located and detained in Atlanta. In due course of time an officer of the law hove-to in Atlanta from Spartanburg and took "Sugar Babe" in tow.

"Sugar Babe" apparently did not mind being placed under arrest, and the deputy and "Sugar Babe" got to be pretty good friends—pals, if you please. They hob-nobbed around town together and passed the time o' day generally.

They sauntered into the Kimball house and the officer felt the need of a shave. "Sugar Babe" allowed that he had plenty of time and would wait, so he took his seat in the barber shop while the deputy prepared himself for the operation.

The barber lathered the officer's face and "Sugar Babe" continued a casual conversation about the coming complications in Spartanburg.

Presently he walked over to the chair, and said:

"Bo, let's have a look at that draft, anyway. I'd just like to see what sort of a job this is that's bein' put up on me."

"Sure," said the deputy, and obligingly produced the warrant.

"Sugar Babe," so the story goes, perused the document very leisurely, as the barber wrapped the hot towels about the physiognomy of the deputy. All the while, however, "Sugar Babe's" strollings about the shop had been taking him closer and closer to the door. And when the deputy rubbed his hand over his newly-shaven jowl and glanced around for "Sugar Babe" the latter was no more!

Neither was the draft!

ANTI-LIQUOR AD LAW HITS MANY PERIODICALS

Hundreds of Publications Are Withdrawn From News Stand Sale in Washington.

Spokane, Wash., January 3.—Hundreds of popular periodicals were withdrawn today from news stand sale because of the state-wide prohibition law forbidding the advertising of liquors. In cases where magazines were not withdrawn the pages containing liquor advertising had been cut out.

A magazine distributing agency announced that several publications would issue editions not containing liquor advertising for sale in Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

Portland, Oregon, January 3.—For the first time in its history as a city Portland tonight ended a 24-hour period without an arrest for drunkenness or disorderly conduct. If the new prohibition law had been violated no officer had been able to ascertain the fact.

Denver, Colo., January 3.—Colorado was drier today under the new prohibition law than it probably will be again. Not a single sale of liquor for any purpose could be legally made. The first fifty-five permits to sell liquor, approved by Governor Carlson, were sent late today to wholesale and retail druggists. Until these permits are obtained intoxicants cannot be sold legally.

ORPHANAGE HEAD SHOT WHILE EATING SUPPER

Arcadia, Fla., January 3.—Rev. J. E. Trice, superintendent of the Baptist orphanage at this place, was shot in the neck by an unknown person tonight as he sat at the supper table. A load of squirrel shot entered his neck. His condition is serious. Officials have no clew as to the would-be assassin.

ARMISTEAD NAMED AS MAYOR PRO TEM, DEFEATING KELLEY

Recall Element of Council Was in Favor of Kelley, While the Anti-Recallers Voted for the Winner.

MADDOX MADE MEMBER OF POLICE COMMISSION

Silver Service Presented Alderman Ragsdale, Retiring Mayor Pro Tem. Official Registration List Accepted.

The general council for 1916 organized last night by the election of Alderman Jesse W. Armistead as mayor pro tem. for the ensuing year.

The only other nomination was that of Alderman Charles H. Kelley.

The recall election was injected into the race as Alderman Armistead is a pronounced anti-recaller, and Alderman Kelley is an equally prominent recaller. The vote was, Armistead 17, and Kelley 13.

Alderman Armistead was nominated by Councilman Frank Reynolds, and Alderman Kelley by Alderman A. D. Thomson.

The Vote for Mayor Pro Tem.

The vote was as follows:

For Armistead—Seawright, Kelley, McDonald, Sisson, Spratt, Renfroe, Alverson, Freeman of the third, Woodall, Ashley, Farlinger, Johnson of the fifth, Bell, Johnson of the sixth, Inman, Reynolds, Dolvin—17.

For Kelley—Thomson, Barnes, Armistead, Owens, Dunlap, McCord, Williamson, Mincey, White, of the seventh, Landers, White of the ninth, Carpenter, Freeman of the tenth—13.

Alderman J. Lee Barnes was elected provisional mayor pro tem. without opposition.

Mayor Woodward presided over the last session of the council of 1915 and read his annual message, a synopsis of which is given elsewhere in The Constitution.

Presentation to Ragsdale.

Before the old council adjourned, Councilman John T. Dennis, in behalf of the council members, presented the retiring mayor pro tem., Alderman I. N. Ragsdale, who also retires from council, a silver service. Councilman Dennis said that in behalf of the council members he presented the service as a token of the high esteem in which Alderman Ragsdale was held and that he hoped the alderman would soon return to council and preside again.

Alderman Ragsdale thanked the councilmen for the gift, and said he had done his best to preside with fairness and impartiality.

"I have been in council since 1910," he said, "and during that time I know that the members of council have been representative business men, who had the best interests of the city at heart."

The mayor had the newly elected aldermen and councilmen to take the oath of office.

The election of a mayor pro tem. and provisional mayor pro tem. followed.

Board Members Elected.

The following board members were elected:

J. E. Jackson, to succeed himself as a member of the board of health from the first ward.

James W. Maddox, a member of the police board from the fifth ward, to succeed Alderman Sisson, resigned.

Dr. P. L. Moon, a member of the health board from the second ward. He was opposed by W. W. Dudley, and the vote was Moon 18 and Dudley 12.

F. E. Maffett, member of the board of health from the tenth ward, to succeed himself.

Almand Morgan, member of the park commission from the tenth ward, to succeed Gid Hannah.

Dr. W. M. Etheridge, member of the board of health from the fifth ward, to succeed himself.

A Floral Demonstration.

The rules were suspended and a committee from the board of trustees of the Grady hospital were permitted the privilege of the floor. Then, with the trustees, forty nurses, in full uniform and with handsful of red roses, marched in. The nurses pinned the roses on the lapels of the coats of the mayor, the members of council, the clerk and his assistant and the newspaper reporters.

The demonstration was followed by an invitation to the councilmen to visit in a body the hospital Friday afternoon to inspect the institution and ascertain its needs. Both the roses and invitation were accepted. The invitation was extended by Trustee Edmund W. Martin.

Armistead Takes the Gavel.

Mayor Pro Tem. Amistead was given the gavel by Mayor Woodward.

"I have a speech to make in which there are many things I wish to say to the new council," said Mr. Armistead, "but on account of the lateness of the hour I will defer it until the next meeting of this body. I wish to thank you all for the high honor conferred upon me, and I assure you I will do my utmost to preside over the deliberations of council with fairness and impartiality to all."

The official registration list for the recall election was adopted, but not before Alderman Thomson, a recaller, asked the assistant city attorney if the list could be purged of illegal voters. He was told that it could not.

"Then," said the alderman, "I believe illegal voters can be challenged at the polls."

"Yes, if there are any illegal voters," he was told, "they can be challenged."

The council chamber was crowded with citizens, many of whom applauded when Alderman Armistead was elected. They also smiled when the mayor gave chairmanships of unimportant committees to councilmen known to be his political opponents.

The Council for 1916.

The new council is as follows:

Aldermen, James R. Seawright, first

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1916 COUNCIL COMMITTEES

Auditorium Committee—Farlinger, chairman; Reynolds, Inman, Freeman of third, Bell.

Benevolence and Pensions—Barnes, chairman; White of ninth, Freeman of tenth, Owens, White of seventh.

Bridges—McCord, chairman; Woodall, Dolvin.

Bureau of Municipal Research and Statistics—White of ninth, chairman; Freeman of tenth, Kelley, Landers, Thompson.

Cemetery—Freeman of third, chairman; Barnes, Bell, Renfroe, Mincey.

Contested Claims and Litigation—Ashley, chairman; Mincey, Owens, Thompson, White of ninth.

Electric and Other Railways—Spratt, chairman; Johnson of sixth, Reynolds, Mincey, Bell.

Electric Lights—Johnson of fifth, chairman; Woodall, Dolvin, Bell, Carpenter.

Board of Electric Control—Spratt, chairman; Johnson of fifth, Woodall, Dolvin, Carpenter, Bell, chief of construction.

Fire—Woodall, chairman; Johnson of fifth, Renfroe, Farlinger, Johnson of sixth, Reynolds.

Board of Firemasters—McDonald, chairman; Armistead, Farlinger, Johnson of sixth, Renfroe, Reynolds, Johnson of fifth, Woodall.

Finance—Inman, chairman; Farlinger, vice chairman; Seawright, Williamson, McDonald, Johnson of fifth, Johnson of sixth, Armistead, Dunlap, Spratt.

Freight Rates and Transportation—Kelley, chairman; White of seventh, Freeman of tenth, Owens, McCord.

Hospitals and Charities—Dunlap, chairman; Barnes, Freeman of third, Bell, Sisson, Landers, Carpenter.

Insurance—Williamson, chairman; Bell, Sisson, Alverson, Thompson.

Library—Mincey, chairman; Dunlap, McCord, Landers, White of ninth, Bell, Kelley.

Ordinances and Legislation—Sisson, chairman; Seawright, Dunlap, Freeman of third, Mincey.

Parks—Freeman of third, chairman; Sisson, Alverson, Barnes, Dolvin.

Police—Johnson of sixth, chairman; Renfroe, Inman, Armistead, Ashley.

Printing—Bell, chairman; Armistead, Ashley, McDonald, Carpenter.

Prisons—Dolvin, chairman; Armistead, Freeman of third, Renfroe, Johnson of fifth, Sisson, Mincey.

Public Buildings and Grounds—Carpenter, chairman; Barnes, Mincey, Alverson, Sisson, Freeman of third.

Public Improvement—Owens, chairman; Thompson, White of seventh, Kelley, McCord.

Public Schools—Armistead, chairman; Mincey, Alverson, White of ninth, Owens, Bell, Carpenter.

Salaries—Alverson, chairman; Inman, Farlinger, Dunlap, Spratt, Woodall.

Sanitary Affairs—Ashley, chairman; Mincey, Bell, Landers, Seawright, McCord, White of seventh.

Sewers and Drains—Reynolds, chairman; Renfroe, Williamson, Alverson, Bell, McDonald, Dunlap.

Streets and Sidewalks—Renfroe, chairman; Ashley, Carpenter, Mincey, Dolvin, Freeman of third, Johnson of fifth, Williamson, Reynolds, Armistead.

Tax—Farlinger, chairman; Renfroe, McDonald, Woodall, Seawright.

Waterworks—Seawright, chairman; Spratt, Landers, Kelley, Freeman of tenth, Owens, Thompson.

Minutes—Thompson, chairman; Freeman of tenth, White of seventh.

GRIP IS SPREADING OVER UNITED STATES

Disease Epidemic From Coast to Coast—Life Toll Is Heavy and the Economic Loss Very Large.

Washington, January 3.—Influenza is spreading over the United States from coast to coast in the most serious epidemic ever known, taking a large toll in lives and causing economic loss by incapacitating workers in all walks of life. Reports from public health service offices, made public tonight by Surgeon General Blue, show that already the disease has created a grave problem for many of the large cities and is spreading to the rural communities.

New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, San Francisco, Seattle, Cleveland and Detroit reported the disease widely prevalent. Cleveland and Detroit each have probably 100,000 cases. Of the larger cities, Buffalo, Pittsburg, Baltimore, San Diego, Dallas and Mobile reported no signs of an epidemic.

There is practically nothing the federal government can do toward aiding in suppression of the epidemic. It must be dealt with by local authorities, and they in turn, it is explained, are almost helpless without co-operation from the public. Surgeon General Blue said tonight he had called for reports from all parts of the country with the hope that publicity would tend to stimulate this co-operation.

Statistics on influenza are difficult to obtain, because the disease is not classed as "reportable" in many cities. Consequently most of the public health officers were obliged to send in information based to some extent on their personal observations.

Thousands of Cases.

Some of the dispatches were summarized by Surgeon General Blue as follows:

Memphis—Estimated 7,000 to 8,000 cases, but outbreak declining rapidly.

New Orleans—There were 66 deaths from influenza in December; 11 in November.

Savannah—Influenza prevalent.

Mobile—Influenza not epidemic. Two deaths in December.

Dallas—Influenza not epidemic. Moderate number of cases.

Norfolk—Influenza prevalent. Pneumonia not increased.

Wilmington, N. C.—About 80 cases, mild form.

New York—Disease widely spread. Marked increase in pneumonia mortality, also in mortality of persons over 65. Health department sending out warnings.

Chicago—Last week there were 57 deaths from influenza; 30 deaths the week before. There were 1,440 cases of pneumonia in December with 666 deaths, of which 201 occurred in the last four days.

San Francisco—Epidemic of influenza widespread and severe. Reported as the most severe experienced since 1891.

Philadelphia—Influenza epidemic here. In five weeks ending December 31, 141 deaths, of which 72 occurred the last week. During December 581 cases pneumonia. Deaths from pneumonia the last week 284.

Cleveland—Epidemic began December 19; widespread since December 20. Probably 100,000 cases. Pneumonia present.

Detroit—Epidemic general, estimated at 100,000 cases. Hospitals all crowded. Twenty-five deaths during December.

Boston—Influenza epidemic, pneumonia cases doubled.

Schools Depopulated.

Seattle—Influenza reported epidemic throughout state, including Seattle; moderately severe type. Schools partially depopulated in many places. Increase of 15 per cent in deaths from all causes in Seattle during December. Influenza a factor, together with complications, chiefly pneumonia.

Los Angeles—Extended epidemic of influenza of moderate severity began about two months ago and not diminished.

San Diego—Few cases of influenza reported recently.

Baltimore—Five deaths from influenza last week. (Influenza not reportable.)

Pittsburg—Mild epidemic reported.

Buffalo—Influenza not epidemic. One death in December.

St. Louis—Influenza not prevalent here.

Portland, Maine—Some scattered cases.

Portland, Ore.—No epidemic. A few severe cases.

Louisville—Health officer reports probably greater prevalence of influenza than in former years. Accurate figures not available.

Providence, R. I.—Influenza prevalent.

Cairo, Ill.—Probably 100 cases of influenza.

CHAMBER SEEKS MORE MEMBERS

Plans for Campaign, Which Will Begin January 11, Laid at Meeting Monday Night.

One hundred and fifty members of the chamber of commerce met in the assembly hall Monday evening and were organized into a "Gideon band" by Joseph T. Holleman, who is the general chairman of the membership campaign, which will begin on Tuesday, January 11.

The meeting was opened by President Kriegshaber, who explained the object of the campaign and reason for calling these gentlemen together.

Mr. Kriegshaber presented to the meeting Mell R. Wilkinson, who has joined the ranks of the elder statesmen, but is keeping his promise to back up the succeeding administration. Mr. Wilkinson gave the meeting one of his characteristic talks, enlivened by wit, which put everybody in a good humor.

Joseph T. Holleman, in a strong speech, showed the necessity for a strong organization in the chamber of commerce on account of the vast number of great developments needed not only in Atlanta, but throughout Georgia and the south in order to put Atlanta in line with other sections of the country.

To show what a chamber of commerce can do, Mr. Holleman recalled the fact that during the past five years this chamber has had a large part in the work for agriculture which has increased the corn crop by 25,000,000 bushels, and this was begun by a committee on agriculture and corn show and was a forerunner of the Southeastern fair.

Mr. Holleman was followed by the following gentlemen who spoke on the same line:

Ivan E. Allen, A. S. Adams, P. S. Arkwright, Robert F. Maddox, H. C. Martin, L. D. Hicks and R. R. Otis.

After the speeches, Mr. Holleman called upon the meeting to express itself and the workers pledged their active co-operation by a rising vote.

AEROPLANES ARE USED FOR AMBULANCE WORK

Paris, January 3.—Aeroplanes were used for ambulance work for the first time on record during the retreat from Serbia by the French military mission, says Henri Barbey, a war correspondent of The Journal.

The Balkan mission was at Prisrend. There were a number of sick persons. It was impossible to carry them on stretchers, but it was determined not to abandon them. The French still had six aeroplanes. Colonel Fournier placed on these aeroplanes the sick men, whose condition was most grave, and sent them by air to Scutari.

WILSON HURRIES TO WASHINGTON TO TAKE CHARGE OF PERSIA CRISIS

Situation Is Regarded in Official Circles as Being Most Serious to Confront United States Since Submarine Operations of Teutons Began.

DESTRUCTION OF PERSIA MAY FORCE SETTLEMENT OF SUBMARINE QUESTION

United States Is Prepared and Determined to Take Any Action the Facts May Warrant—Officials Disturbed by Reports From American Agents at Alexandria and Cairo—Subject Expected to Be Debated in Congress.

Washington, January 3.—President Wilson started to Washington from Hot Springs, Va., tonight to take personal charge of the nation's foreign affairs in the new crisis brought about by the sinking of the British steamship Persia with a loss of at least one American life. The situation is regarded in official circles as being the most serious to confront this government since the submarine operations of the central powers began.

To Settle Submarine Question.

The president probably will lay the facts thus far established before his cabinet tomorrow. The destruction of the Persia, following closely upon the crisis precipitated by the Ancona disaster, may result in the United States determining to settle immediately all the questions involved in the submarine warfare. The subject is expected to find its way to the floor of the house and senate tomorrow when congress reconvenes after the holidays.

President Wilson decided to cut short his honeymoon and return to the capital at once after telephone conferences with Secretary Lansing and Mr. Tumulty, his private secretary. It was found, however, that he could not conveniently start until 8:45 tonight. He should arrive at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The United States is represented tonight as being prepared and determined to take any action that the facts concerning the Persia, yet to be established, may warrant. Officials still are trying to view the situation with an open mind, but it is apparent that they are disturbed by the reports received from consular agents at Alexandria and Cairo, Egypt.

Every effort will be made to establish the truth of the report that the Persia was torpedoed without warning. Secretary Lansing contemplates taking no step until the complete details are known.

Attitude of Austria.

Officials find one source of gratification in assurances given by Baron Erich Zwiedinek, charge of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, to Secretary Lansing during a conference today at the state department. Baron Zwiedinek is said to have suggested that judgment be withheld until the facts were known, and to have expressed the belief that the final explanation of the latest incident would be satisfactory. He is said to have assured the secretary of his belief that if an Austrian submarine commander violated the principles of international law and the rules of humanity, his government

Weather Prophecy

FAIR.

Washington—Forecast:
Georgia—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Local Weather Report.

Lowest temperature	42
Highest temperature	60
Mean temperature	52
Normal temperature	43
Rainfall in past 24 hours, inches	.12
Deficiency since first of month, ins.	.97
Deficiency since Jan. 1, inches	.41

Reports From Various Stations.

STATIONS and State of WEATHER.	Temperature, 7 p.m.	Temperature, High.	Rain 24 hrs, inches
ATLANTA, clear	50	60	.12
Birmingham, clear	50	58	.02
Boston, snow	28	40	.02
Baltimore, clear	34	46	.00
Charleston, clear	51	62	.00
Chicago, clear	30	34	.00
Denver, clear	52	56	.00
Galveston, clear	60	62	.08
Hatteras, clear	50	58	.00
Jacksonville, clear	60	72	.00
Kansas City, clear	44	48	.00
Knoxville, clear	44	52	.00
Louisville, clear	40	46	.00
Memphis, clear	50	54	.00
Mobile, clear	60	68	.00
Montgomery, clear	56	64	.01
Nashville, clear	46	58	.00
New Orleans, clear	66	72	.00
New York, pt. cly.	32	40	.00
Oklahoma, cloudy	58	62	.00
Pittsburg, cldy	38	50	.00
Portland, Ore., cldy	44	54	.24
Raleigh, clear	48	60	.00
San Francisco, cldy	54	58	2.68
St. Louis, clear	42	48	.00
Salt Lake City, cldy	50	50	.00
Shreveport, clear	54	64	.00
Spokane, cldy	34	36	.18
Tampa, cloudy	64	76	.00
Toledo, clear	30	38	.00
Vicksburg, clear	54	64	.06
Washington, clear	34	46	.00

C. F. von HERRMANN,
Section Director.

ECONOMY!

Buy-right Hints for the Housewife

The Advertised Price Is Always the Lowest Price!

Merchants rarely if ever advertise high prices—

The old-time policy,—or perversion, whichever fits the case best, of "getting your price" was the old-time lethargy in selling goods—

It was merchandising "slowdom"—

The merchant "stuck" for his price, and in turn frequently got "stuck" with his goods—

Such a thing as offering a bargain was rarely if ever known—and if offered was looked upon with justifiable suspicion—

Compare these "fixed-price" days, if you please, with the modern methods of merchandising.

Take the great throbbing stores of our city as an example; the aisles thronged with willing buyers, and question if you will what influence has wrought the change—

Advertising is the answer—

Advertised prices—

The lowest prices—

No packed-away, cased-up, hang-over, hibernating merchandise nowadays—prices are the motor that keeps the goods a-movin'—

Prices that in many an instance mark a loss where a gain should show—

But—the goods are sold—they are out of the way to make way for newer things—

Advertised Prices are real conservators of economy—the mighty word that dominates these little talks—economy that is the result of reading the advertising pages of the Constitution—

75 per cent of the sales made by our merchants are first sold in the papers by the concerns that advertise—

The advertisements in this morning's Constitution are the "silent salesmen" of the city's great stores—

We wager you can not read their ads this morning and not be a willing purchaser before the day is ended—

NOTE—The CONSTITUTION guarantees a marked saving on every purchase made in Atlanta in stores that advertise their lowest prices in these pages.

would be quick to take action which would fully satisfy the United States. Baron Zwiedinek also sought information for the benefit of his government.

Secretary Lansing today instructed Ambassador Penfield at Vienna to make informal inquiries which might lead to the establishment of the identity of the submarine which sank the Persia, or the receipt of information concerning the circumstances of the attack.

The secretary acted upon an indication received from an undisclosed source that no submarines of other than Austrian nationality were known to be operating near the point where the Persia went down. No specific instructions were given to Ambassador Penfield. He is expected to proceed as he thinks best and forward any information obtainable. Officials here are not finally convinced that a submarine was responsible for the sinking of the Persia and still see a remote possibility that the vessel might have struck a floating mine which had drifted to that part of the sea from some adjacent field of operations.

Liner Carried One Gun.

The report that the liner was carrying a 4.7 gun served to revive consideration of the position taken by the United States in regard to armed merchantmen. In the early days of the war it was announced that merchant ships belonging to belligerents might be allowed to enter and leave American waters with guns of 6-inch caliber or less, mounted upon their sterns. At that time cruisers of the central powers had not been swept from the seas. Later Great Britain and France, at the suggestion of the United States, agreed that their ships coming into American waters should not be armed, thus eliminating the possibility of a controversy over that point so far as vessels plying out of ports of the United States were concerned.

Since then, all war craft of the Teutonic allies, with the exception of submarines, have disappeared from the high seas. Consequently, it is considered in some quarters that merchantmen mounting guns, even of smaller caliber and astern, might be considered prepared for resisting a hostile submarine.

Secretary Lansing and other officials have considered this view with great carefulness. The secretary said today he was not prepared to announce the attitude of the United States on this point in the future. It is understood that he was awaiting an opportunity to discuss the matter and its various ramifications with President Wilson.

Ambassadors See Lansing.

The Italian ambassador, Count di Cellere, called on Mr. Lansing during the afternoon seeking information on the question. He was referred to the position taken by the United States at the beginning of the war, which was in line with the provisions of The Hague convention permitting armament for defensive purposes.

During a later discussion of the subject Secretary Lansing revealed that Germany had abandoned its contention that the Lusitania was an armed merchantman. This claim was originally made in justification of the sinking of that ship, and affidavits were presented to substantiate it. The affidavits were proved to be false, however, and Mr. Lansing indicated that Germany had dropped the contention some time ago.

The Japanese ambassador, Viscount Chinda, also called on the secretary. His purpose was to obtain any details which might have been received regarding the sinking of the Japanese liner Yasaka Maru. The secretary had no new reports of importance. He indicated later that no action would be taken by the United States in that case, at least at the time. But one person aboard the Yasaka Maru was supposed to be an American citizen. He was W. J. Leigh. A dispatch received today from Consul Garrels at Alexandria informed the state department that Leigh, who was born in China of American parents, never had elected to claim American citizenship. His status may be the subject of a further report, however, as it is pointed out that the United States maintains extra territorial jurisdiction in China, and if Leigh was born of American parents within the jurisdiction of any American consul in China he could be considered an American citizen unless he elected to become a subject of some other nation.

DAMAGES ARE SOUGHT FOR BOY'S INJURIES

Charging that W. L. Cain, running his automobile at a reckless and unusual rate of speed, ran down his minor son, Davis B. Hadley, Roy C. Hadley, the child's father, filed a damage suit in the city court of Atlanta yesterday through his attorneys, Thomas B. Felder, Leonard J. Grossman and C. J. Weaver, asking for $25,000 damages.

The petitioner alleges that when his son was hit by the five-passenger, 1916 Hupmobile, Mr. Cain was driving thirty-five or forty miles an hour, and the child was hurled a distance of 12 or 15 feet.

Mr. Hadley sets up in his petition that his child was without fault in the premises, but that as a result of the collision was permanently injured.

AD MEN WILL SUPPORT STANTON DAY MOVEMENT

Georgia Poet to Be Entertained by the Ad Men's Club.

On February 22, the birthday of Frank L. Stanton, a movement will be inaugurated by the Atlanta Ad Men's club having as its object the annual observance in Georgia of "Frank L. Stanton day."

Mr. Stanton will be the guest of honor on this occasion and extensive arrangements are being made for the event. The ad men are enthusiastic over the movement for the setting aside of one day for annual observance as "Frank L. Stanton day" and each of the members will give his loyal support to the movement.

Committees have been named by President Julian V. Boehm to make preparations for the celebration of the day and the event promises to be one of great enjoyment, while the support of the ad men doubtless will be a material factor in the movement to set aside a day in honor of Georgia's gifted poet.

Speaking of the movement Monday, Mr. Boehm said: "It is fitting, indeed, that the work of such a man should be appropriately recognized and that he know that the world loves him for the inspiration he gives it."

CONGRESS MEETS AT CRITICAL TIME

Rival Leaders Admit International Situation Was Never So Threatening. Sinking of Persia the One Theme.

Washington, January 3.—Congress reassembles tomorrow in the midst of an international situation which rival political leaders admitted tonight was one of the most critical that has confronted the nation. Returning members talked of little but consequences that might result from the sinking of the British steamer Persia in the Mediterranean with loss of American life and the strained diplomatic relations between the United States and Austria.

Although administration leaders were uniformly inclined to await positive information, there was a general feeling of uneasiness among senators and representatives over the gravity of foreign affairs.

Senator Stone, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, conferred with Secretary Lansing at the state department and will seek a conference with President Wilson before the committee meets Wednesday to begin consideration of matters pertaining to the diplomatic affairs of the nation.

Lodge and Smith Resolutions.

It seems assured that the committee will take up the resolution submitted by Senator Hoke Smith calling for an inquiry into Great Britain's interference with neutral commerce and the amendment by Senator Lodge to investigate destruction of the Lusitania and other acts of belligerents resulting in destruction of American lives.

"Of course we must consider these resolutions," said Senator Stone tonight. "They are on the calendar and must be disposed of. I do not know the sentiment of the committee, but I see no objection to congress having all information called for in the resolution of Senator Smith or the amendment by Senator Lodge.

"I talked to Secretary Lansing about the sinking of the Persia, but we can do nothing with that until we get all the facts."

Senator Stone also discussed with Mr. Lansing the long pending Nicaraguan and Colombian treaties, concerning which there still is persistent opposition by some senators, including republican members of the foreign relations committee. The Missouri senator wants these treaties disposed of one way or another. If it is apparent that opposition is overwhelming it is proposed to discover this as soon as possible, so that further time may not be wasted in attempting to force their ratification. Another subject of discussion was the nomination of Henry P. Fletcher to be ambassador to Mexico. Senator Borah, a member of the committee, will strenuously oppose Mr. Fletcher's confirmation on the ground that no ambassador to Mexico should be named by the United States until conditions in the southern republib are more settled.

SUBMARINES SINK BIG BRITISH SHIPS

London, January 3.—Several more steamers have been sunk by submarines in the Mediterranean, but which of the Teutonic allies is responsible is not yet known. The London Times reports that the British steamer Geelong, of the Peninsula and Oriental line, is the latest victim. The Geelong was a vessel of 5,030 tons. All on board the vessel were saved.

The British steamship Glengyle has also been sunk. There are about 100 survivors.

The Glengyle had on board about 130 persons, passengers and crew. All with the exception of three Europeans and seven Chinese were landed. So far as is known no Americans were on board.

The Glengyle, which was homeward bound from Shanghai, was sunk in the Mediterranean on Sunday. This was her second voyage.

The British steamship St. Oswald has been sunk. The Oswald was in the service of the British government, and presumably was sunk in the Mediterranean. She was of 3,810 tons gross, built in 1905, and owned by the British and Foreign Steamship Company of Liverpool.

JAPANESE WARSHIPS FOR THE SUEZ CANAL.

Tokio, Japan, January 3.—Announcement is made by the Jiji Shimpo that a squadron of Japanese warships will sail for the Suez canal, presumably to protect Japanese shipping. It is said the armored cruisers Kasuga, Tokiwa and Chitose have been assigned for this service.

The reported decision of the Japanese government to send a squadron to the Suez canal follows the sinking of two Japanese steamships in the Mediterranean. The passenger liner Yasaka Maru was torpedoed off Port Said on December 21. The freighter Kenkoku Maru was sunk by submarine on December 29. Those on board both vessels were rescued. The Japan Mail Steamship company, which controls the bulk of Japanese shipping, has abandoned the Suez route.

W. & A. COMMISSION TO MEET HERE TODAY

The Western and Atlantic releasing commission will meet this morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of going over the work that is before it, and outlining the manner in which this work should be disposed of.

This meeting of the commission will be the first that it has held with its entire organization perfected. Its personnel and organization are as follows:

Commissioners C. Murphy Candler, chairman; Governor Nat E. Harris, Judson L. Hand, of Pelham; A. E. Copelan, of Greensboro, and G. Gunby Jordan, of Columbus; special attorney, W. A. Wimbish, of Atlanta; secretary, Campbell Wallace, of Marietta; stenographer and clerk, Groves Cohen, of Marietta.

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GILLESPIE CAPTURED AFTER A LONG CHASE

Athens, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—W. P. Gillespie, Jr., acting postmaster at Murrayville, Hall county, Georgia, up to March 25, last year, tonight signed a statement to postal and federal court officials, admitting, it is said, that he embezzled several hundred dollars worth of money orders and other items, and fled. He had been in Oklahoma, Kansas and Florida and was traced back to this section.

Inspector McKew showed his picture to a postal official here and he recognized it as the likeness of a man he had seen on the street half an hour before. The hunt began and the man was finally accosted as he was about to board a Georgia train. The officer, having decided upon calling him by a guess name, spoke to him as "Johnson." He responded.

In his pockets were found letters addressed to "J. K. Johnson," the name even to the very initials, the inspector had selected as a test name. Then even with photographs it was a difficult work to identify him. After midnight he admitted he was Gillespie. He was indicted October 25 in Atlanta.

J. E. TOOLE WILL SERVE AS FEDERAL EXAMINER OF BANKS

J. E. Toole, who has served as president of the Southern Trust company for some time past, has resigned that position to take a position in the offices of the chief national examiner for the sixth federal reserve district.

Mr. Toole is widely known in banking circles, having met with a great deal of success at this city. He came to Atlanta from Albany, where he served for a number of years as cashier of the Georgia National bank of that city.

No announcement has been made as to Mr. Toole's successor, it being stated by officers of the Southern Trust company that no president has been elected.

RUSSIANS GAINING ON GALICIA FRONT

Continued From First Page.

ing of our guns against the works of the enemy. The German troops, fleeing from their shelters, were subjected to a concentrated fire of our 75-millimetre guns.

"In Belgium a bombardment by our field artillery and trench mortars against groups of the enemy in the region of the dunes caused heavy damage. Two fires were started and two munitions depots were blown up.

"On the heights of the Meuse in the forest of Chevaliers a heavy cannonade directed against the enemy's trenches caused the destruction of several blockhouses.

"In the afternoon two shells fell in Nancy. The enemy's gun from which they came was immediately taken under our fire.

"In the region of Hartmanns-Weilerkopf the enemy carried on a violent bombardment following which our troops retired along a front of 200 metres on the western side of the ravine to the south of Rehfelsen. The enemy did not attempt any attack with infantry.

"The official Belgian statement says that nothing in particular has transpired outside of the customary artillery struggles."

SURPRISE ATTACK MADE BY GERMANS.

Berlin, January 3.—The text of today's statement from the war office follows:

"Western front: A large mine was exploded north of the LaBassee-Bethune road with complete success. A fighting trench, reserve trenches and a communication trench of the enemy were blown in. The surviving occupants attempted to escape by flight, but were caught by the fire of our rifles and machine guns.

"A surprise attack made over a wide front took the occupants of the trenches by surprise and they in part sought safety by flight. On the remainder of the front there were no events of importance.

"During the shelling of Lutterbach, in Alsace, by the French on New Year's day, when the people were leaving church, one girl was killed and a woman and children were injured.

"Eastern front: At various places the Russians continued with the same lack of success as heretofore, their attacks with patrols and other small detachments of troops.

Balkan front: There is nothing to report."

AUSTRIANS LOSE, SAY MONTENEGRINS.

Paris, January 3.—A Montenegrin official statement received here today says:

"The enemy on January 1 attacked our positions at Goduivo and after a day's fight was repulsed with appreciable loss. There have been artillery and infantry combats on the other fronts."

BRITISH WIN IN KAMERON.

London, January 3.—A British official report from Kamerun, German Equatorial Africa, says that Yaunde, a government station, was occupied January 1.

The statement reads:

"On January 1 a British force, under Colonel Gorges, occupied Yaunde (Jaunde) in Kamerun. The enemy retreated to the south and southeast. Our troops are in contact with the enemy's rear guard. The German government officials fled from Yaunde."

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PLANS TO DEFEND PAN-AMERICANISM

Army and Navy Strategists Consider Possibility of Attack by Two Powers to Break Down Doctrine.

Washington, January 3.—Possibility of a combined attack by two foreign powers to break down the new Pan-American doctrine evolved from maintenance by the United States and acceptance by South and Central American republics of the Monroe doctrine is one of the fundamental bases for the national defense plans formulated by army and navy strategists. They believe it essential in the formulation of national military policy, it was learned tonight, to provide against the eventuality of an assault upon the doctrine by either an Asiatic or a European power, or even by an alliance of two such powers, which might hurl forces simultaneously at the Atlantic and Pacific coasts.

A navy equal in strength to those of any two world powers except Great Britain, and an army prepared to fight for the integrity of the Pan-American idea anywhere in Pan-America is the ultimate aim of the plans of the military experts.

Time Allotted to Prepare.

Ten years is the time the navy general board believes the United States has in which to prepare for a readjustment of world forces which will follow the European war. In setting 1925 as the time when the United States navy should equal any afloat—which means reaching the two-powers standard of the British navy—the board estimated that much time would elapse before the shock of the present war passed sufficiently to permit any of the belligerents to look to South or Central America for colonial development or trade aggression.

Plans of the army war college would be consummated in six years. The army officers take the position that the United States must have sufficient troops and troop ships to land forces in any threatened Pan-American country to meet an invader.

All these preparations, it is now known, have been presented by strategists to the administration as essential to support of the Monroe doctrine, so that the United States may be able to act alone, if necessary, to preserve its ideal of no entangling alliances. Such ideals, the military students have stated, impose new duties on the United States—duties that require something more than a policy of mere passive resistance.

To Unify Pan-American Nations.

While the administrative branch of the government has submitted to congress a definite plan which contemplates an increased expenditure of more than a billion dollars on the military and naval establishments in the next six years, all other agencies of the government are acting to unify and harmonize the Pan-American nations. To students of diplomacy the Pan-American declarations of President Wilson, in his opening address to congress; the declarations for Pan-American unity made to the Pan-American Scientific congress here by Secretary Lansing and the general effort for unity of all the Americas on the basis of friendship and equality, take on added significance when considered in connection with the administration's preparedness plans.

The recent announcement that the ambassadors from Argentine, Brazil and Chile had been selected by the United States to represent it on the commission provided by the peace investigation treaties with France, Great Britain and Italy is regarded as one of the significant factors in this connection.

Significance also is seen in the disclosure that an effort to postpone the Pan-American congress on the ground that sufficient time had not been given to prepare adequate scientific program was met by the statement that the United States was insistently desirous of taking prompt steps to further the spirit of Pan-American accord, confidence, sympathy and mutuality. South American capitals uniformly report that the congress is regarded there as more political than scientific, and that approbation of the sentiment of Pan-American unity is freely expressed.

Intentions of Certain Powers.

What confidential information the army war college and the navy general board may have gathered concerning the intentions of any certain power or powers is not being revealed; but there are certain matters of general knowledge which are known to have entered into the study of possibilities upon which the theory of a two-power attack upon the Monroe doctrine was based.

With the military problem agreed upon and defined, the two boards of strategists were asked what, in their opinion, would constitute adequate national defense. Their answer was to build a two-power navy and organize a federal army of sufficient size so that a portion of it could be used in any southern country against a foreign invader without impairing the safety of the United States itself.

To accomplish this the general board then recommended for the navy:

1. Authorization in 1916-17 of $300,000,000 in new ships as against a total investment in fighting equipment now afloat during the last thirty years of $459,656,551.

2. Construction of four battle cruisers and four dreadnaughts under this program.

3. Expansion of ship-building facilities to admit of even heavier building programs in succeeding years.

For the army the war college recommended:

1. Expenditure in 1916-17 of approximately $500,000,000 to produce a mobile army under federal control which with its reserves would total 1,500,000 in six years; 500,000 fully trained regulars and the remainder continentals.

2. Increasing by 50 per cent the equipment and personnel of the coast artillery in four years at a total cost of $31,000,000.

3. Accumulation in four years of reserve ammunition and material worth $104,000,000.

The Administration Plan.

In view of the enormous and what they regard as almost prohibitive cost of these proposals, Secretary Daniels and Secretary Garrison mapped out the billion-dollar six-year program which President Wilson has laid before congress, providing essentially as follows:

For the navy:

1. New construction within five years costing $500,000,000, which will add six battle cruisers and ten dreadnaughts to the fighting line by 1924.

2. Construction during 1916-17 of two battle cruisers and two dreadnaughts with proportionate numbers of smaller craft.

3. Distribution of the remainder of the building program tarough the next four years at a rate of $100,000,000 a year.

For the army:

1. Expenditure within six years of approximately $600,000,000 to produce a total mobile federal force of a million men, 141,000 regulars and 300,000 continentals, this force to be in addition to the national guard now numbering 128,000.

2. Expenditure of the full $31,000,000 recommended by the war college and board of review for new coast defenses.

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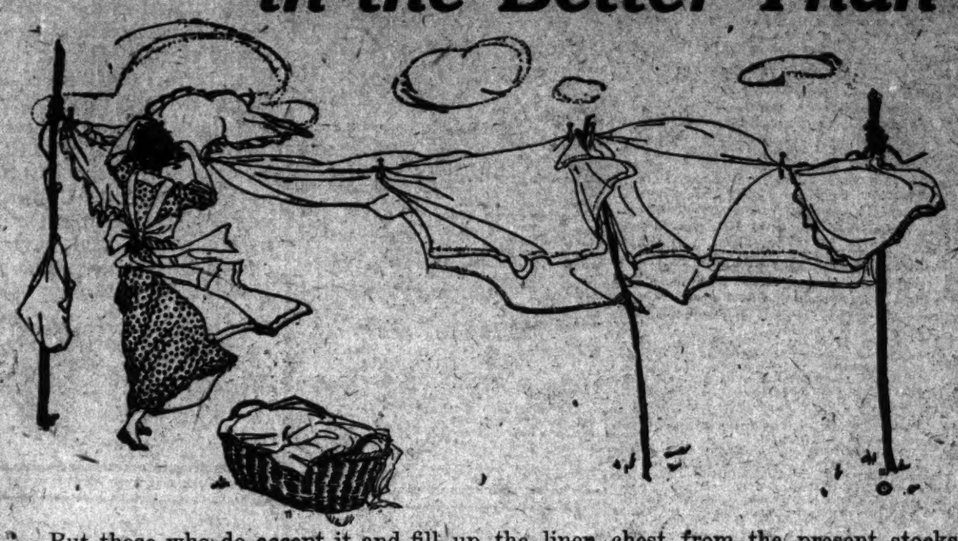

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24-inch Napkins, a dozen	4.50	3.98
2¼x2¼ yards Flemish Linen, rose and Ribbon pattern	6.50	5.98
25-inch Napkins, a dozen	6.50	5.98
2¼x2¼ yards Flemish Linen, stripe in circle pattern	8.50	6.50
25-inch Napkins, a dozen	7.50	6.00
2¼x2¼ yards Gold Medal Brand Damask	7.50	6.50
24-inch Napkins, a dozen	7.50	5.98
2¼x3 yards Irish Damask, bordered	$10.00	$ 7.98
25-inch Napkins, a dozen	7.50	6.50
2¼x3 yards Flemish, stripe in circle pattern	12.00	9.50
25-inch Napkins, a dozen	8.50	6.98
2¼x3 yards Flemish, rose and stripe pattern	12.00	8.98
22-inch Napkins, a dozen	7.50	5.98
2½x2½ yards Flemish, stripe in circle pattern	9.50	7.98
25-inch Napkins, a dozen	8.50	6.98
2½x2½ yards Moravian, Chippendale pattern	14.00	10.00
24-inch Napkins, a dozen	8.50	7.50
2½x2½ yards Irish, bordered	6.00	4.98
24-inch Napkins, a dozen	4.50	3.75
2½x3 yards Flemish, vine and leaf pattern	12.00	9.90
25-inch Napkins, a dozen	8.50	6.98

Table Damasks

Qualities that we have held until now as supreme at their prices—reduced for the Better-Than-Ever White Sale. Convential and new patterns at each price—

72-inch Irish Linens, regularly $1.25, at 98c a yard.
72-inch Irish Linens, regularly $1.50, at $1.25 a yard.
72-inch Flemish Linens, regularly $1.75, at $1.45 a yard.
72-inch Irish Linens, regularly $2.25, at $1.98 a yard.
72-inch Irish Linens, regularly $2.50, at $2.00 a yard.
81-inch Irish Linens, regularly $2.50, at $2.00 a yard.
90-inch Irish Linens, regularly $3.50, at $2.98 a yard.

Linen Sheets

All hemstitched, priced by the pair.

Size.	Were.	Now.
72x100 inches, hand embroidered	$10.00	$ 7.50
90x100 inches, hand embroidered	12.50	10.00
72x96 inches, Flemish linen	9.00	7.50
72x96 inches, Flemish linen	8.50	6.50
90x96 inches, Flemish linen	10.00	7.98
90x96 inches, Flemish linen	12.50	10.00
90x97 inches, Flemish linen	16.50	14.00

Linen Pillow Cases

Hemstitched, priced by the pair.

Size.	Were.	Now.
45x36 inches	$1.00	$ .85
45x36 inches	2.00	1.65
54x36 inches	2.25	1.95
45x36 inches	2.35	1.98
45x36 inches	2.50	2.00
45x36 inches	3.00	2.50
45x36 inches, double hemstitched	4.00	3.50
45x36 inches and scalloped	4.00	3.50
45x36 inches, hemstitched all around	4.50	2.50
45x36 inches and hand embroidered	3.50	2.98
45x36 inches and hand embroidered	2.50	1.98

Bedspreads

Size	Were	Now
10-4 Satin Quilt, hemmed	$ 4.50	$ 2.75
12-4 Satin Quilt, cut corners, scalloped	5.00	4.00
12-4 Satin Quilt, cut corners, scalloped	6.50	5.00
11-4 Satin Quilt, hemmed	6.50	5.00
11-4 Satin Quilt, hemmed	8.50	6.00
10-4 Marseilles pattern, twin bed size	3.00	2.50
12-4 Marseilles pattern	3.50	2.95
13-4 Marseilles pattern	4.00	3.25

Separate Napkins

Of Irish linen—a host of patterns, more than can well be told of here. Priced by the dozen.

Size.	Were.	Now.
20 inches	$2.50	$1.95
22 inches	2.25	2.00
22 inches	2.50	2.25
22 inches	3.00	2.50
22 inches	3.50	2.98
24 inches	3.50	3.00
24 inches	4.00	3.50
24 inches	4.50	3.98
26 inches	5.00	4.25

Separate Cloths

Size.	Were.	Now.
2x2 yards, plain, bordered	$ 3.00	$ 2.15
2x2 yards, plain, bordered	3.50	2.98
2x2½ yards Moravian, Renaissance	8.50	6.50
2x3 yards Irish, plain, bordered	4.50	3.50
2¼x2¼ yards Irish, plain, bordered	5.50	4.50
2¼x2¼ yards Gold Medal Damask	6.00	4.98
2¼x2¼ yards Gold Medal Damask	7.50	5.98
2¼x2½ yards Gold Medal Damask	8.50	7.50
2¼x3 yards Flemish, bordered	12.00	8.50
2½x2½ yards Irish, bordered	6.00	4.98
2½x2½ yards Irish, bordered	8.50	6.50
2½x2½ yards Irish, bordered	15.00	10.00
2½x3 yards Gold Medal, bordered	8.50	7.50
2½x3 yards Gold Medal, bordered	11.00	7.98
2½x4 yards Irish, bordered	15.00	11.00
2½x4 yards Irish, bordered	17.50	15.00
2½x4½ yards Banquet Cloths	27.50	20.00
2½x6 yards Banquet Cloths	37.50	30.00

Tea Napkins

Priced by the dozen.

Size.	Were.	Now.
14-inch	$3.50	$2.75
15-inch Scalloped	4.50	3.50
15-inch Hemstitched, monogram space	6.50	5.00
16-inch hand embroidered and scalloped	7.50	5.00
16-inch hand embroidered and scalloped	8.50	6.00

Towels Priced for the Sale

Size	Were.	Now.
19x36 inches, linen finish	15c	12½c
18x36 inches, linen finish	17½c	15c
20x38 inches, huck, all white	20c	17½c
18x36 inches, half linen	25c	22½c
20x36 inches, all linen, huck	35c	25c
19x37 inches, hemstitched, linen huck	29c	25c
20x38 inches, hemstitched, linen huck	40c	35c
21x38 inches, hemstitched, linen huck	50c	45c
20x36 inches, hemstitched, linen huck	65c	59c
22x38 inches, hemstitched, linen huck	75c	60c
24x42 inches, hemstitched, linen huck	$1.00	79c

Size	Were	Now
34x72 inches, hand-woven Italian linen, fringed	$5.00 and $6.50	$1.98
16x36 inches, guest towels, linen, hand embroidered and scalloped	1.75	1.00
27x46 inches, hemstitched, monogram space	1.25	98c
27x43 inches, hemstitched, monogram space	3.00	2.25
BATH TOWELS		
20x40 inches	29c	20c
22x42 inches	35c	29c
25x46 inches, plain, and with blue border	60c	49c
25x47 inches, plain white	$1.00	75c

Sheets and Pillow Cases

ORIENT SHEETS Ready for use. Size	Were	Now
72x99 inches	70c	65c
81x90 inches	75c	70c
81x99 inches	80c	75c
90x99 inches	85c	80c
PEPPERELL SHEETS		
50x73 inches	45c	40c
63x99 inches	70c	59c
72x90 inches	70c	59c
72x99 inches	75c	69c
81x90 inches	75c	69c
81x99 inches	85c	79c
90x99 inches	90c	85c
90x108 inches	95	90c
ANCHOR BRAND SHEETS. (Plain Hems.)		
50x73 inches	50c	43c
72x90 inches	80c	75c
72x99 inches	90c	79c
81x90 inches	90c	79c
72x108 inches	95c	89c
81x99 inches	95c	89c
81x108 inches	$1.00	89c
90x99 inches (Hemstitched)	1.00	89c
90x108 inches (Hemstitched)	1.10	99c
Size	Were	Now
72x99 inches	95c	89c
81x90 inches	$1.00	95c
90x99 inches	1.15	$1.00
90x108 inches	1.25	$1.10
WHITE THORN SHEETS (Plain Hems)		
Size	Were	Now
50x73 inches	55c	49c
63x99 inches	85c	69c
72x90 inches	85c	75c
72x99 inches	95c	89c
81x90 inches	95c	89c
81x99 inches	$1.00	95c
81x108 inches	1.10	99c
90x99 inches	1.10	99c
90x108 inches (Hemstitched)	1.25	$1.10
50x73 inches	60c	49c
72x99 inches	$1.00	89c
81x99 inches	1.10	99c
90x99 inches	1.25	$1.15
90x108 inches	1.35	1.25
PILLOW CASES. ORIENT		
Size	Were	Now
45x36 inches	17½c	15c
PEPPERELL		
42x36 inches	17½c	15c
42x40½ inches	20c	17½c
45x36 inches	20c	17½c
45x40½ inches	22½c	20c
ANCHOR BRAND (Plain Hems.)		
42x36 inches	20c	17½c
42x40½ inches	22½c	20c
45x40½ inches	25c	22½c
50x40½ inches (Hemstitched)	27½c	25c
42x40½ inches	27½c	25c
45x36 inches	27½c	25c
45x40½ inches	30c	27½c
WHITE THORN (Plain Hems.)		
42x36 inches	22½c	20c
42x40½ inches	25c	22½c
45x36 inches	25c	22½c
45x40½ inches (Hemstitched)	27½c	25c
45x36 inches	30c	27½c
42x40½ inches	30c	27½c
42x36 inches	27½c	25c

True to Its Name

The Better-Than-Ever Sale of Muslin Underwear

They are here at this writing—we mean, women are here, interested, exclaiming over, choosing dainty lingerie—at savings. They are choosing because they find the January Sale this year running "true to form," so to speak.

Thousands of snowy, new garments, prettier than their prices have bought before.

Tables piled high with garments taken from our own carefully selected "regular" stocks because a bit soiled, and marked as low as Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co. does at clearaway time!

Save is the message—save on the very kinds of lingerie women of good taste want!

Another day of it today!

Worlds of Dainty White Fabrics

Kinds Women Want Now

Dainty, fine white goods, with which to get the spring sewing under way. Qualities that, at these prices, command attention.

IMPERIAL LONGCLOTH—36 inches wide, in 12-yard bolts, varying in fineness of weaves, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.25 a yard.

ENGLISH LONGCLOTH—36 inches wide, 12-yard bolts, at $1.75 and $2.00.

LONGCLOTH—as soft as down, 45 inches wide, for women's and children's wear, 12-yard bolts, at $3.50.

SEA ISLAND NAINSOOK, 36 inches wide, 12-yard bolts, at $2.50.

JAPANESE NAINSOOK, 40 inches wide, 10-yard bolts, at $2.50.

SHADOW CLOTH, very soft, 40 inches wide, 10-yard bolts, at $2.50.

SHADOW CHECKS, very soft, 40 inches wide, 12-yard bolts, at $3.00.

COMFORT CLOTH, 36 inches wide, 12-yard bolts, at $2.00.

WHITE FLAXONS, plain, 36 inches wide, at, a yard, 12½c, 15c, 25c to 40c.

WHITE FLAXONS, checked, 32 inches wide, at, a yard, 25c and 35c.

WHITE DIMITIES, checked, 27 inches wide, at, a yard, 12½c, 15c, 20c to 35c.

WHITE LINGERIE CLOTH, 44 inches wide, at, a yard, 25c, 35c, 40c to $1.25.

WHITE PIQUES, 27 inches wide, narrow and wide wale, at, a yard, 25c, 35c to 65c.

WHITE POPLINS, 27 inches wide, at, a yard, 25c.

WHITE POPLINS, 36 inches wide, at, a yard, 30c and 35c.

WHITE GABARDINES, 40 inches wide, at, a yard, 35c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co.

GAINS FORTY-FIVE POUNDS ON ONLY THREE BOTTLES

Stone Cutter Says Since Taking Tanlac He Can Do Work He Hasn't Been Able to Do in Four Years.

"It may sound unreasonable, and you may believe me or not, but I have actually gained forty-five (45) pounds on three bottles of Tanlac," said Alexander Gibbs, a well-known stonecutter, who, for the past fifteen years has been employed by the big granite corporation at Stone Mountain, a short distance out of Atlanta, in telling of his remarkable restoration to health.

"I must admit that if anyone had told me before I began taking Tanlac that it or any other medicine on earth would cause me to gain this much weight in such a short time, I wouldn't have believed them, but I am ready to prove that Tanlac did that very thing for me.

"I suffered a long time with stomach trouble and acute indigestion. My kidneys also bothered me a great deal. I had awful spells of dizziness and became very weakened. My appetite was irregular, and sometimes I didn't even go to the table at mealtime for I wasn't a bit hungry. What I ate didn't seem to nourish me or give me any strength. I couldn't sleep good, and all day long I had that broken-down, tired feeling, and this made my work mighty hard for me. It takes a lot of strength to do the kind of work I do, and being in the shape I was in greatly handicapped me; in fact, I wasn't in any kind of shape to work. It looked like I couldn't get hold of anything to straighten me out, and I got mighty blue, for I was going down hill all the time. I fell off in weight from 140 pounds to 90 pounds. Then I realized that something must be done quick.

"Most everybody out my way was talking about Tanlac, and several of my friends were taking it and told me it was a fine thing. I bought a bottle, and after I had been taking it two or three days, I got hungry and simply had to eat, and did eat, and nothing seemed to hurt me a particle. It wasn't long before the pains in my stomach and back began to leave me. Then I noticed I began to sleep better, and I would get up of mornings feeling fine and ready to go to work.

"This medicine seemed to take hold quicker than anything I ever saw, and braced me right up. I began to take on more flesh, and, as I have already told you, by the time I had taken three bottles I had gained forty-five pounds in weight.

"It looks like every day I feel better and stronger, and I am now able to do work I haven't been able to do in four years. It certainly did bring me out in a big hurry, and I think it is the best and grandest medicine in the world. I am telling all my friends about it."

Genuine Tanlac is sold in Atlanta exclusively by Jacobs' Pharmacy. It is also sold by regularly established agencies in all principal towns throughout the south.—(adv.)

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Everything For the Recall Is a Blackball Against Atlanta.

ILL AND OUT OF JOB, BEARDEN TAKES POISON

After Failing to Secure Pistol, East Point Resident Buys Strychnine.

Suffering from mental aberations said to have been brought on by his inability to get work for the past six weeks, W. M. Bearden, 54-year-old resident of East Point, died at his residence about 10 o'clock Monday morning after having taken a large dose of strychnine in an alleged effort to commit suicide.

Mr. Bearden was said to have been brooding over a slight illness and inability to secure work for the past several weeks. Monday morning he went to a neighbor's house in East Point, and, after failing to borrow a pistol with which he claimed he wished to kill a dog, he went to the East Point Pharmacy and purchased forty-eight strychnine tablets, each containing 1-30 of a grain.

After securing the poison, which he told the druggist he wanted for his sister and himself, Bearden is said to have returned to his home and lain down. Later he suffered convulsions, and before a doctor could reach the house had died in agony.

B. M. Maloch stated to a representative of The Constitution Monday afternoon that he had heard Bearden was sick, and, going to the house, had found him writhing on his bed in convulsions. He stated that he wanted to send for a physician, but Bearden would not allow him to.

Finally, a physician was summoned, regardless of the sick man's protestations, but arrived at the home too late.

J. W. Walker told The Constitution of eBarden coming to his home to borrow the pistol. He told Walker that he wished to kill a dog, but thinking that there was something wrong, Walker refused to let him have a gun.

Bearden had been a resident of East Point ten years. He is survived by his wife, four sons and one daughter.

Coroner Donehoo will hold an inquest over the body at 3:30 o'clock this morning.

SUPREME COURT PASSES ON INNES CASE THURSDAY

Washington, D. C., January 3.—(Special.)—The Innes extradition case, which is the first on the supreme court docket, was not called this morning owning to the death of Justice Lamar. It will be taken up when the court reconvenes on Thursday.

Hugh M. Dorsey, solicitor general, will be opposed in the case by Joseph Weldon Bailey, of Texas, who represents Victor Innes and his wife, wanted in Georgia in connection with the mysterious disappearance of Beatrce Nelms and her sister, Eloise Dennis, over a year ago.

Senator Bailey will contend that the accused cannot be removed from Texas to Georgia on a requisition, since they were originally brought from Oregon to Texas for trial and have been in jail ever since.

POLICEMEN OF COUNTY ENTERTAINED BY CHIEF

County policemen and their wives were the guests of Chief and Mrs. George Matthiessen at an enjoyable dinner at the Ansley hotel last night. The event was largely attended by the county officers, and was thoroughly enjoyed.

CAPITOL GOSSIP

By Hal H. Tolson

FLAG ORDERED LOWERED IN MEMORY OF JUSTICE LAMAR.

Upon receipt in Atlanta yesterday of the news of the death of Mr. Justice Joseph Rucker Lamar, of the United States supreme court, former Georgian who rendered distinguished service to his state before going to the supreme court bench, Governor Nat E. Harris issued a proclamation ordering that the state flag be placed at half-mast upon the statehouse and other public buildings upon the day of the funeral.

The governor's proclamation is as follows:

Whereas, a message comes from Washington this morning which carries inexpressible sadness to all Georgia, announcing the death of Hon. Joseph Rucker Lamar, justice of the supreme court of the United States; and

Whereas, this distinguished Georgian has served his state with signal ability in her legislative halls, on the supreme bench of this state, and finally became a national figure as justice of the supreme court of the United States, thus achieving the highest honor in the line of his profession which a lawyer may obtain; therefore

In view of the distinguished career of the Hon. Joseph Rucker Lamar and of the deep affection held for him by the people of Georgia, it is

Ordered, That the flag of the state capitol and other public buildings of the state be placed at half-staff during the day of the funeral.

In witness whereof, I have set my hand and caused the seal of the executive department to be attached.

Done at the capitol in the city of Atlanta, this the 3d day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and forty-first.

N. G. HARRIS,
Governor.

By the governor:
RAYMOND E. APPLETON,
Secretary Executive Department.

EX-SENATOR J. T. HIXON IS NOW STATE OIL INSPECTOR

Ex-State Senator J. T. Hixon, of Carroll county, has been appointed state oil inspector to succeed Dr. W. J. Bryant, resigned. Senator Hixon Monday took up his duties in the oil inspector's office in the department of agriculture.

Dr. Bryant tendered his resignation to the commissioner of agriculture some time since, to become effective January 1. Dr. Bryant, however, will stay in the office until January 10, closing up the details of his administration. He will then resume the practice of medicine in College Park.

CHARLES JAMES METZ IS APPOINTED STATE AUDITOR

Governor Nat E. Harris Monday appointed Charles James Metz, of the Audit Company of the South, of Atlanta, special auditor for the state.

This appointment is in compliance with the joint resolution of Senator John D. Walker, passed by the extra session of the general assembly, providing for a special auditor to audit the account of such statehouse departments as may be deemed advisable.

Mr. Metz will start upon his work in the near future.

NEAR BEER TAXES FOR 1916 ARE NOW DUE TO THE STATE

The near beer and locker club license taxes for 1916 are now due the state, and collections will start at once.

Under the new prohibition law, which becomes effective May 1, only the prorated tax to that date are payable. It is anticipated that the license tax to May 1 should bring the state about $75,000.

In cases where the tax is voluntarily sent in the state, of course, received the full payment, but where it is necessary for the state to collect the tax the collector gets $10 for each license tax collected.

Governor Harris has appointed C. Wilkie Brown, of Savannah, as near beer license tax collector for Chatham county. Mr. Brown has held this position through three administrations prior to that of Governor Harris.

A., B. & A. REORGANIZATION APPROVED BY THE STATE

Secretary of State Phil Cook Monday granted an amendment to the charter of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic railroad, reducing the capital stock from $40,000,000 to $30,000,000, and under which amendment the recent organization of the company has been perfected.

The railroad commission immediately thereafter approved the reorganization scheme of the road, and under which the road was on January 1 turned over by the receiver to the organization known as the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railway company, with E. T. Lamb, of Atlanta, as president.

The following is the announcement given out by the state railroad commission:

"The new capitalization approved by the commission is $20,000,000 of common stock and $5,200,000 of income bonds in lieu of former capitalization of $30,000,000 common stock $10,000,000 preferred stock, $10,000,000 of first and refunding bonds.

"The order of approval also allows the creation of refunding and improvement mortgage bonds for $15,000,000 to be issued in the future only upon the order of the railroad commission, for general improvements and the retiring of $4,090,000 of old Atlanta and Birmingham underlying bonds when due. The present outstanding capitalization of the new company will be $39,290,000, as compared with $47,090,000 prior to January 1.

"This capitalization covers the entire property of the road, both in Georgia and Alabama."

On December 31, 1915, there were in the hands of court receivers 1,016 miles of railroad in Georgia. With the termination on January 1, 1916, of the receivership of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad company, the mileage in the hands of receivers is reduced to 536 miles. Georgia railroad mileage today in receivers' hands is made up as follows:

	Miles.
Georgia and Florida railway	306
Macon and Birmingham Railway company	97
Valdosta, Moultrie and Western Railroad company	43
Register and Clennville railway	33
Rome and Northern Railroad company	17
Sylvania and Girard Railroad company	15
Ocilla, Pinebloom and Valdosta railroad	11
Total	536

The total railroad mileage in Georgia, according to the railroad commission's last report is 7,325 miles. The mileage today in the hands of receivers is the smallest in several years.

W. A. WIMBISH OFFERS TO ASSIST STATE AGAINST L. & N.

While the act creating the Western and Atlantic railroad re-leasing commission and naming W. A. Wimbish, of Atlanta, as special attorney for the commission, does not specify that Mr. Wimbish shall act for the state in any other matters regarding the Western and Atlantic or its welfare, Mr. Wimbish has tendered to the governor his services as attorney in the matter of the litigation between the state and the Louisville and Nashville railroad, should the governor find need for him.

While the act does not specify that Mr. Wimbish shall act in such an emergency as the present, there is nothing in the act which would prohibit him from acting should the governor so wish.

It is further true that should the Louisville and Nashville by the successful prosecution of its present litigation destroy or seriously impair the value of the Western and Atlantic there would be nothing left for the re-leasing commission to re-lease and it is with the desire of helping the state, if he can do so, to preserve the value of the road, that Mr. Wimbish has tendered his services.

The office of the attorney general, together with Special Attorney Horace Holden, of Athens, is now engaged in preparing the answer of the state to the mandamus recently filed against the secretary of state by the North Georgia Mineral railroad demanding the charter for which it applied some eighteen months ago to build a road from White's, near Cartersville, to Atlanta.

KING OF HOBOES CONFERS WITH GOVERNOR HARRIS

Jeff Davis, king of the hoboes, who is a visitor in Atlanta, paid his respects to Governor Harris Monday, talking with the chief executive regarding the repeal of Georgia's vagrancy laws.

ATLANTA LAWYERS URGE JUDGE HILL TO SUCCEED LAMAR

REGRET DEATH.

Resolutions deploring the death of Justice Lamar, of the supreme court, will be adopted at a special meeting of the Atlanta Bar association, which will be held this morning at 9:30 o'clock. It is expected that the Georgia Bar association will take similar action within the near future.

That Judge Benjamin Hill will be urged as the successor to Justice Lamar, of the supreme court, whose death occurred Sunday, was indicated yesterday by the statements of a number of the members of the Atlanta bar.

Several local attorneys called on Judge Hill to assure him of their support and to state that they will send messages to Washington urging his appointment to the position made vacant by the death of the well-known Georgian.

It is known that a number of telegrams and letters already have been forwarded to Washington urging that Judge Hill be named by the president to succeed Justice Lamar. The former is one of the state's leading jurists and it is expected that he will receive many indorsements from Georgia lawyers.

Judge Hill is 68 years old and it has been learned that his age will militate against his chances of success. However, his friends are not allowing this opportunity pass to pay high tributes to him and to call attention to the fact that he is vigorous, learned and otherwise fitted for a place on the supreme court bench.

It was recalled Monday that when North Carolinians were urging the appointment of Judge Walter Clark as a member of the supreme court, President Wilson stated that he did not intend to name a person over 60 years old.

TEACHERS WILL GET SALARIES PROMPTLY; HARRIS ACCEPTS BID

Governor Harris yesterday afternoon accepted the bid of the National Park bank, New York city, fiscal agent for the state of Georgia, to discount the entire issue of the governor's monthly warrants for the payment of the state's school teachers in the year of 1916.

This assures for the first time in many years that the teachers will receive their pay promptly.

The National Park bank offers in its bid to discount the governor's monthly teachers' pay warrants to the extent of $1,000,000 for the entire year of 1916, at an interest rate of 3 per cent.

The warrants will be drawn for discount monthly.

This arrangement is authorized under the teachers' pay bill recently enacted by the general assembly, which bill was introduced by Senator John D. Walker, of Sparta.

GEORGE S. BELL, JR., JOINS LOCAL LAW FIRM

Announcement was made yesterday of the admission of George L. Bell, Jr., to the law firm of Bell & Ellis and the change of the firm name to Bell, Ellis & Bell. Its members now are Clarence Bell, F. E. Ellis and George L. Bell, Jr. The new member of the firm graduated from the Atlanta Law school, and has met with a great deal of success in the practice of his profession since he was admitted to the local bar about two years ago.

TRUST COMPANY'S OFFICE ATLANTA'S BUSIEST SPOT

More Than $1,000,000 Distributed to Corporations for Which It Acts.

The clerks in the offices of the Trust Company of Georgia were busy throughout Monday distributing more than a million dollars in coupon bond interest and sinking fund on various corporation bonds for which the Trust Company of Georgia is trustee. Included in these distributions were the regular and liquidating dividends of the corporations which the trust company has organized and acts as fiscal agent. More than four-fifths of this money, it was estimated by the head clerks, would go to residents of Atlanta.

The trust company has paid to its stockholders during the past year $100,000 in dividends and has placed $212,816.17 to the credit of surplus and undivided profits. The net earnings for the trust company for the year were about 25 per cent.

Deposits on January 1, 1915, were $567,380.49, and on January 1, 1916, $2,749,562.87. This is a phenomenal increase, amounting to over 400 per cent.

During the last twelve years the trust company has baid regularly 8 and 10 per cent annual dividends on its capital stock; it has declared one 50 per cent dividend, and it has now a large surplus of $1,009,050.14, which makes it the largest trust company in the southeast.

Col. R. T. Van Horn Dead.

Kansas City, Mo., January 3.—Colonel Robert Thompson Van Horn, founder of The Kansas City Journal, and pioneer journalist and statesman of the middle west, died at his home here today. He was 91 years old.

MUNICIPAL COURT OBJECTED TO BY 3 SAVANNAHIANS

Savannah, Ga., January 3.—Messrs. C. B. Brannan, G. W. Millikan and M. Wilensky, citizens of Savannah, this morning in the superior court filed a petition for an injunction attacking the constitutionality of the law passed by the last legislature creating the municipal court of Savannah and abolishing the office of magistrate in Chatham county.

It is claimed in the petition the city has no right to appropriate money for the maintenance of the court. The city budget for 1916 provides $15,000 for that purpose. There will be a hearing on the petition in a few days.

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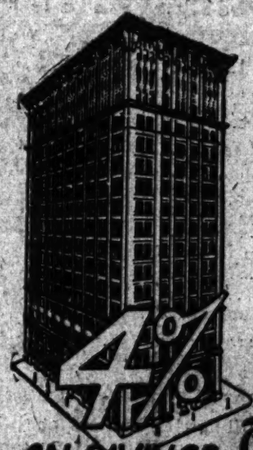

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"Every Girl," three-reel Knickerbocker star feature. "Is Christmas a Bore?" Vitagraph.

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TODAY
"The Kidnaped Stockbroker," two-reel Vitagraph. "Adam's Ancestors," Kalem.

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TODAY
Helen Ware in "Cross Currents," D. W. Griffith production. Sam Bernard, in "The Great Pearl Tangle," Weber & Fields in "The Worst of Friends," Mack Sennett feature.

THE SELECTA
Peachtree and Tenth Streets.
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Mary Pickford, in "Behind the Scenes," comedy.

THE GEORGIAN
TODAY
"The Melting Pot," patriotic American feature play, with Walker Whiteside in the leading role.

ALAMO NO. 2
TODAY
Joseph Kilgore, in "Who Killed Joe Merrion?"

THE VICTORIA
TODAY
"The Spender," five-reel Gold Rooster feature, with George Probert and Alma Martin.

THE STRAND
TODAY
William Fox presents Robert Mantell and Genevieve Hamper, in "The Green-Eyed Monster."

GRAND
TODAY
Daniel Frohman presents Mary Pickford, in "The Foundling," a sweet, pathetic play.

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GYPSY SMITH, JR., STIRS MACON BY HIS SERMONS

Son of Famous English Evangelist Conducting Meeting in City Auditorium.

Macon, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—It has been a long time since Macon has been so interested in anything religious as the whole city now is in the Gypsy Smith, Jr., revival meeting which is in progress at the city auditorium for the next few weeks.

Gypsy Smith, Jr., is the son of the famous English evangelist who has made several tours of this country and who is known personally to hundreds of Macon people. The elder Gypsy Smith is just now preaching to the English soldiers who are fighting in the trenches in Flanders. His son is of English birth and while new at the evangelistic business has already established a record for himself that bids fair to surpass that of his distinguished father. He is a graduate of Crozier seminary, near Philadelphia, and has been preaching for several years, though his present company has been on the road only about one year.

Though Macon has seen little of him so far, the first impression gained is favorable. Gypsy, Jr., has a full, clear voice, knows what he wants to say and how to say it. There are none of the Billy Sunday gymnastics about this Gypsy Smith. On the other hand his earnestness is infectuous and he has had no trouble gripping and holding his Macon audiences.

Preliminary to the opening of the revival, 500 cottage prayer meetings were held in as many homes throughout the city. Now that the meeting is under way these cottage prayer meetings are to be continued and homes have been set aside in all parts of the city where the meetings will be held between 10 and 11 o'clock each Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday during the three weeks of the revival. In addition meetings will be held in the schools, shops, colleges and business houses and they may even be extended to nearby towns if the interest proves great enough. This phase of the work is in charge of S. M. Smith, a member of the revival company. The cottage prayer meetings are under the jurisdiction of Miss Helen Henderson, of Baltimore.

Gypsy Smith comes to Macon without a guarantee from the Macon churches, other than for the $1,500 which represents the actual expenses of the members of his company. However, it is announced that a collection will be taken for him on the last day of the meeting and it is certain he will receive several hundred dollars as a gift from Macon people. In days gone by Macon people have paid his father as much as $5,000 for conducting a revival here.

Austria Calls Reservists.

Marquette, Kan., January 3.—Forty Austrian residents of Marquette and vicinity left here today for New York, where they hope to sail for their native land by an indirect route. All were said to be reservists who left in response to a summons from the Austrians authorities. Most of them were well-to-do farmers.

"Go Fans" Make Hit in Movies; Prove Value of Morning Paper

Do you bask in the light of the "White Way?"

Do you attend the theater? Do you dine out evenings? Are you a devotee to the club? Do you dance? Do the movies draw you from home nights?

Then, you're a "Go-Fan!"

The "Go-Fans," of which you are doubtless one, is that class of big city inhabitants who seek amusement or diversion at night, whether it be along the "White Way," anywhere downtown, or in the social rendesvous.

The Constitution is behind the movement begun Monday to exploit the "Go-Fan" tribe. They were introduced in moving pictures in most of Atlanta's picture theaters Monday—or rather, in dramatized mechanics. With rhyme and artistic designs, the "Go-Fans" were proclaimed the devout readers of the morning newspaper; it was shown conclusively that the immense number of persons in the big city who pursued pleasure or amusement of any sort chose the morning newspaper first of all.

This because in the night and late afternoon when the evening newspaper is at hand, the "Go-Fan" is busily engaged in either preparing for the night's program, or pursuing it. Only the calm, unhurried hours of the morning are left for perusal of the news of the day. The Constitution's exploitation of the "Go-Fan" species is a novel, emphatic sermon on the value of the morning newspaper as a medium for reaching the public.

If a "Go-Fan," which you no doubt are, you will continue to see things about yourself in the movies and various other advertising methods, for The Constitution is bent upon telling things about the species.

FRANCE HAS YIELDED TO THE UNITED STATES

Germans Recently Removed From American Ships to Be at Once Released.

Washington, January 3.—The state department was officially advised today, through the French embassy, that the French government, in response to representations made by the United States, had ordered the immediate release of German subjects recently removed from American ships on the high seas by the French cruiser Descartes.

The state department also was informed that the men arrested would be turned over to the American consul at Fort De France, Martinique, where they were taken for detention.

Four American steamships were held up near Porto Rico last month by the Descartes which, in each case, removed one or more Germans or Austrians. Chief Steward Schaade was taken from the Carolina on December 8. On the following day the Coamo was held up by the Descartes, which fired two shots across her bow. One German and two Austrian members of the crew were taken on board the Descartes. On December 15 the Beringuen was boarded by a party from the French cruiser and the purser, William Garbe, of Brooklyn, was taken off. Garbe, a German by birth, has taken out his first naturalization papers. The fourth vessel held up was the San Juan, from which two second cabin passengers, Germans, were removed.

ARMISTEAD NAMED AS MAYOR PRO TEM.

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ward; Charles H. Kelley, second ward; C. C. McDonald, third ward; Albert D. Thomson, fourth ward; John D. Sisson, fifth ward; J. Lee Barnes, sixth ward; Jesse W. Armistead, seventh ward; John S. Owens, eighth ward; Edgar Dunlap, ninth ward; Nelson T. Spratt, tenth ward.

Councilmen J. N. Renfroe and Charles B. Alverson, first ward; J. L. McCord and Oscar Williamson, second ward; George P. Freeman and Fred Woodall, third ward; C. L. Ashley and A. W. Farlinger, fourth ward; W. H. Johnson and Leonard Bell, fifth ward; Edwin F. Johnson and Ed T. Mincey, sixth ward; J. C. White and J. N. Landers, seventh ward; B. H. Inman and Frank Reynolds, eighth ward; W. D. White and J. L. Carpenter, ninth ward; Sam N. Freeman and Carl Dolvin, tenth ward.

WALLACE PHILLIPS SEEKING QUARTERS IN FULTON TOWER

Federal officers were busy yesterday afternoon attempting to find some excuse for placing Wallace Phillips in jail. Phillips came to Atlanta with the declaration that he wants to go to the Tower to await his trial on a charge of illicit distilling, but the officers couldn't find on their records a reason for placing him behind the bars.

The books of the officials show that the man who seeks quarters in jail was arrested by a deputy marshal a short time ago on a charge of conducting an illicit distillery in Pickens county. He was released on bond to appear at the March term of the court.

Phillips says that he is due a berth at the bastile and insists that quarters be provided for him there.

AT THE THEATERS

Keith Vaudeville.

(At the Forsyth.)

Though inferior in merit to the bill offered last week, this week's entertainment at the Forsyth theater has bright spots which will make a visit to this popular playhouse worth the while. Although Manager Hickman changed around his bill at the night performance, he seemed to get better results with the afternoon arrangements of acts.

"Mrs. Temple's Telegram," an act seen here before, but one ever welcome, seemed the favorite of the audience at both performances. The skit, which is based on the efforts of a jealous wife to find out where her husband spent a night when he should have been at home, is blessed with bright lines and acted by clever people. The work of William Morris is particularly pleasing.

Another act that secured its meed of applause in the afternoon was that of "The Old Homestead Singers." Thousands of people remember the boys who used to sing about the "old oaken bucket." This year they are in vaudeville, appearing in sailor costumes and with appropriate settings. All of their songs were good, but the singing of the baritone was noteworthy and the audience particularly enjoyed the song "Nobody Else But Me."

One of the most remarkable acts ever offered at the Forsyth is that of the La Grohs, two men and one woman, who offer some unusual feats in contortion. One of the men does not seem to have a single bone in his body. Just to show that it is not necessary to be thin to be a good contortionist, the second member of the company, a man of ample embonpoint, performs a number of difficult stunts, while the woman also does her share.

Other acts on the bill are: Bert Hanlon, in songs and patter (less said about him the better); the Six Musical Nosses, a fair number, and Gruet and Gruet, a black-face act with some bright and some dull moments.

ROBERT MORAN.

Louis Mann in "The Bubble."

(At the Atlanta.)

This morning seats will be placed on sale at the Atlanta for the engagement of Louis Mann, who will be seen Friday and Saturday in a new play, "The Bubble." This play ran for several months in New York and also won the praise of critics in Chicago and Philadelphia. It will be brought here with the cast absolutely what it was in New York, no change of any kind being made in either the players or production. This means that Atlanta will see the play just as New York did. Mr. Mann has a part which is sure to please every Atlantan and that means acting of the superior type. Certainly no player in America is more able than Mr. Mann and his appearance here is a real dramatic event.

"Damaged Goods."

(At the Lyric.)

Interest continues unabated in "Damaged Goods," the great sociological drama which is being presented in visual form at the Lyric this week. This is a drama of the consequences of sin, showing the harvest of "wild oats" in intensely realistic style. The camera has made the story even more stirring and awe-inspiring than the play. Richard Bennett and the original New York cast are seen in the picture. Exhibitions are continuous from 1:30 until 11 p. m.

"The Foundling."

(At the Grand.)

Lovely Mary Pickford's greatest triumph, according to those who know her best, is being shown in "The Foundling," a powerful drama of smiles and tears that is the offering at the Grand today. This is an elaborately staged Famous Players' production, showing Miss Pickford in the wistful and lovable role the picture's name suggests. Capable support is furnished by such stars as Edward Martindell, Maggie Weston, Mildred Morris and Marcia Harris.

"Who Killed Joe Merrion?"

(At Alamo No. 2.)

At Alamo No. 2 today the offering is "Who Killed Joe Merrion?" a stirring four act Vitagraph drama with Rose Tapley and Joseph Kilgore in the leading roles. A screaming Vitagraph comedy is also on the bill. "When Hooligan and Dooligan Ran for Mayor." In this latter picture are Hughey Mack, William Shea, Kate Price, Donald McDonald and others. In "Who Killed Joe Merrion?" the settings and atmosphere are up to the Vitagraph standard and the acting is fine, leaving little to be desired to make the picture one that will be thoroughly enjoyable.

"Green-Eyed Monster."

(At the Strand.)

One of the most impressive Fox productions of the season, "The Green-eyed Monster," is the main offering at the Strand theater today. It is an unusually sensational, dramatic love story, admirably played by Robert B. Mantell and Genevieve Hamper, the latter of whom has been pronounced the screen's most beautiful actress. Added to the Fox picture, the Strand will show for the first time the "Hezza Liar" cartoons, which have been booked by the management for the remainder of the season. A special music program will be rendered by the Strand's elaborate orchestra.

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Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly; keep the feet dry; avoid exposure; eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Rheumatism is a direct result of eating too much meat and other rich foods that produce uric acid which is absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work; they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate the uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which helps overcome uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.

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This sale starts promptly this morning at 8:30. Early shoppers are, of course, going to secure first choice.

It's Here! The Greatest Opportunity in Which You Have Ever Been Asked To Share! We Announce For Today

Our Annual January Sale of Silks!

85c Silk Foulards — 59c

23-inch all-silk Foulards, in navy, brown, green, Copen, black and white. New styles and colors for spring dresses. Regular 85c values, yard, 59c.

$1 to $1.25 Taffetas — 69c

27-inch fancy Taffetas and Louisines, in the best of the new spring tones. Stripes and plaids for one-piece dresses and separate waists. $1 to $1.25 values.

$1 Chinese Shantung — 59c

32-inch natural Chinese Shantung, guaranteed to wash perfectly. For waists and spring dresses.

$1.25 White Habutai — 89c

A material 36 inches in width, extra heavy and very durable. It washes splendidly.

$2 Satin Meteors, yd. — $1.19

46-inch satin Meteor Crepes in white and ivory. For evening purposes, wedding dresses and bridesmaids' dresses. The regular $2 quality.

$2 Gros de Londre, yd. — $1.19

36-inch Gros de Londre. An extra heavy corded taffeta in the daintiest pastel tones. Regularly marked $2 the yard. Yard, $1.19.

$3.50 & $4 Jersey Cloths, — $2.19

72 inches in width! At this price, with its great width, this fabric is very economical. For underwear and sport coats. It washes beautifully. Yard, $2.19.

Black Silks at Real Reductions

85c All-Silk Foulard, 23-inch width, 59c.
44-inch Faille Dress Moire, $3.50 value, $1.48.
42-inch Chiffon Velvet, Lyons dyed, $4.50 value, $2.95.
40-inch Pallet de Soie, $1.50 value, 95c.
40-inch Heavy Crepe de Chines, $1.50 value, 98c.
40-inch Bedford Cords, $4 value, yard, $1.69.
36-inch Taffeta Moire, $1.50 value, 79c.
44-inch Chiffon Faille, $3.50 value, $2.
$1.50 to $2 40-inch Crepe de Chine, $1.29.
54-inch Callot Satin, $5 value, $2.19.
36-inch Satin Messaline, $1 value, yard, 79c.
42-inch Peau de Crepe, extra heavy, $1.75 value, 79c.
36-inch Chiffon Taffetas, glace finish, 73c.

$4.50 Printed Crepes — $1.79

44-inch Printed Crepes. Beautiful floral designs on white grounds. The popular and dainty pastel shades. A reguluar $4.50 value, yard, $1.79.

$5 Corded Crepes, yd. — $1.89

An all-pure silk, Lyons-dyed Crepe, with wide wale cord. To be had in the brightest and newest of spring colorings. The usual $5 quality.

$10 Duvetyne Suitings — $2.59

36-inch all-silk genuine Duvetyne Suitings. In Havana brown, navy and Copen. Much in vogue just now for all outer apparel.

$4.50 to $5 Crepe de Chines — $1.69

46-inch, heavy weight, guaranteed all-pure silk Crepe de Chine, embroidered with silk thread. Wide border effect. One of the prettiest materials of the season. Yard, $1.69.

$4 Kitten's-Ear Crepe — $1.79

A heavy weight, handsome Satin with crepe back. For spring coat suit and evening wraps. A fabric that will not only be brimful of style, but will wear exceptionally.

$3.50 Chiffon Failles — $2

44-inch Chiffon Faille in navy, black, Copen, green and wistaria. A material with the right body for coats, coat suits, etc., for spring. Made by one of the finest manufacturers. $3.50 value, $2.

$1.50 Crepe de Chines — 98c

A 40-inch extra heavy Crepe de Chine in ivory, flesh, light blue, lavender and many other wanted shades. One of the finest materials obtainable for underwear purposes. Guaranteed to wash perfectly.

$4.50 Duvetyne Crepe, yd. — $1.79

Beautiful Lyons dyed, extra heavy Duvetyne Crepe for street dresses and separate waists. Beautiful pastel colors and street shades. Regularly marked $4.50 yard, at $1.79.

$3.50 Beaver Satins, yd. — $1.69

Beautiful, 42-inch Beaver Satins, Soft, supple satin finish, with plain corded silk back. $1.69 the yard for the $3.50 quality.

$1.50 Charmeuse, yd. — 89c

Charmeuse is one of the most desirable fabrics of the season for afternoon and semi-evening wear. The beautiful, high-luster shades in the 36-inch width. Regularly $1.50. Now 89c.

$4 Silk Suitings, yd — $2.19

Extra heavy all-silk Suitings, with check and melrose designs, in solid patterns. 42 inches in width. Regularly $4 the yard.

$4 Bedford Cords, yd. — $1.69

40-inch black silk Bedford Cords. Heavy enough for spring suit wear. Less than half price. Yard, $1.69.

$1.50 & $2 Chiffons, at — 79c

44-inch fancy printed Chiffons with metal effect draperies for same. Regular $1.50 and $2 values, 79c.

$1.50 Pongee Suitings — 79c

36-inch natural Chinese Pongee Suitings for spring and summer dresses. Guaranteed to wash satisfactorily.

$2 Crinkle Crepes, yd. — 89c

42-inch printed Crinkle Crepes in handsome spring designs and colors. For separate dresses and waists. It is used a great deal for kimonos also. 89c for the $2 quality.

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ASSERT SLAIN MAN WAS WEAPONLESS

Sisters of Spier Say They Did Not Wish to Prosecute Bishops, But Must Clear Brother's Name.

Declaring that they did not wish to prosecute Dr. V. B. and H. A. Bishop, charged with the murder of their brother, J. G. Spier, at the corner of Angier avenue and Bedford place Sunday afternoon, Mrs. L. B. Gay, Mrs. S. L. Tarplee and Mrs. W. S. Godfrey, sisters of Spier, called a Constitution reporter to their home at 73 East Mitchell street last night and told their version of the happenings of six years which led up to the shooting of their brother.

"We do not wish to prosecute the Bishops on account of our brother's little girl, Dorothy," stated Mrs. Godfrey, "but we are going to see that our brother's name is cleared and that the world knows he was murdered by Dr. Bishop."

Mrs. Godfrey, acting as spokeswoman for her sisters, told the reporter that her brother had married Dr. Bishop's daughter, and that after living together at the residence of Dr. Bishop for some time the couple had to separate on account of alleged cruelty on the part of Dr. Bishop.

SPIERS' LIFE STORY.

In a closely written letter tendered the reporter by Mrs. Godfrey is a story of Spier's life, said to have been written by himself and left at his home because he believed that something would happen in connection with his trouble with the Bishops.

The article claims that Dr. Bishop had first started the trouble between him and Spier by alleged cruelty to Mrs. Bishop in the presence of Spier.

Mrs. Godfrey told the reporter that she knew her brother's death was the result of a "frame up" and that he did not carry a revolver and had none when he left the residence, 73 East Mitchell street, Sunday afternoon not long before the shooting took place.

"We were all in the parlor singing Sunday school hymns," said Mrs. Godfrey, "and just before 'J' left the house I put my arms around him and playfully felt in his pockets. I know and can swear that he did not have a pistol at that time and almost know that he did not get one before going to the Bishop home where he was to see his little daughter.

LOVED DAUGHTER.

"He loved his daughter better than anyone else in the world and he just wanted to see her for a little while."

In a hearing before Recorder Johnson in police matinee Monday afternoon, held for the purpose of assessing a bond for the Bishops, a letter was introduced by the defense said to have been written by Spier.

The letter was read to the court and contained threats against the lives of the Bishops and Mrs. Spier.

Mrs. Godfrey did not deny that her brother wrote the letter. She stated that he had brooded so much over the trouble which he had experienced with Dr. Bishop that he would have almost written anything.

At the end of the hearing Recorder Johnson assessed bonds of $300 each for the Bishops and set the preliminary trial for Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Godfrey claims that sensational evidence which will clear her brother in the eyes of the world and set the blame on Dr. Bishop, will be introduced at that trial.

The body of Spier will be taken to Canton, Ga., for funeral and interment this morning.

Spier is survived by his wife and daughter, Dorothy; two brothers, Dr. R. J. and W. G. Spier, and four sisters, Mrs. L. B. Gay and Mrs. S. L. Tarplee, of Atlanta, and Mrs. W. S. Godfrey, of Mexico City, Mexico.

Will Save Citizens Thousands Each Year By Change in Rubber

By a simple change in the kind of rubber covering for electric wires, City Electrician R. C. Turner says he will save the citizens of Atlanta, who install electricity, thousands of dollars. He has issued a bulletin from his office in which he says:

"On and after January 1, 1916, single braid rubber-covered wire will be accepted by this department in all electrical installations made within the city. This applies to all size conductors up to and including No. 8 B. & S. gauge.

"The effect of this change in the city requirement will result in the saving of 20 per cent or more of the cost of wire used in Atlanta, and as 10,000,000 feet or more is the annual requirement here, a saving of thousands of dollars yearly will result from this change.

"While the double braid wire required in the past looks smoother, from practice it is found the additional braid does not contribute any extra degree of safety to the installation, but does increase considerably the cost of electrical work wherein it is used."

HARD LUCK STORY TOLD TO COURT BY ELLIOTT

John R. Elliott relates a hard luck story in his answer to his wife's contempt proceedings in the superior court. Elliott asks that the alimony order of the court be modified so that he may make the payments to Mrs. Elliott. Elliott answers the allegation of his wife that he has stopped paying her alimony with the statement that he is a bankrupt, and has been unable to secure work which will permit him to make the payments required by the court. The answer was filed through the law firm of Bell & Ellis.

EVINS IS ARRAIGNED BEFORE COMMISSIONER

United States Commissioner W. Colquitt Carter yesterday took up the case wherein J. E. Evins, of Jacksonville, is charged with receiving from the Jacksonville postoffice a letter addressed to the Ferry Fish company. A decision was withheld pending the introduction of another witness by the government Tuesday. District Attorney Hooper Alexander asking that he be allowed to bring the witness into court to give testimony which he said will be important.

IF YOU SMOKE

Never forget that all standard brands are kept as fresh at the

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Ministers Will Help Defray the Expenses Of Laymen's Meeting

The Atlanta Evangelical Ministers' association began its first meeting for 1916 yesterday morning at the Central Congregational church with a debate on defraying the expenses of the Layman's conference, which will be held here next February. The question was settled by the majority of the preachers present pledging themselves to do the best they could.

Dr. Dunbar Ogden, of the Central Presbyterian church, spoke on cleaner politics and urged the ministers to use their moral influence to that end.

Rev. W. C. Shaeffer, of the Lutheran church, talked on the race problem. W. Woods White, Atlanta insurance man, represented the Associated Charities.

Rev. G. R. Buford, of the Moore Memorial Presbyterian church, pleaded for closer co-ordination of the charitable forces of the churches.

Dr. Henry A. Porter, new pastor of the Second Baptist church, was welcomed to membership in the association through Dr. J. Sprole Lyons.

The ministers received an invitation to see the photo-play "Damaged Goods," now showing at the Lyric, as the guest of L. R. Greathouse, manager, who said that there had been some adverse criticism by ministers who had not seen it, while some who had visited the theater had returned and brought their friends.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH DEDICATED IN AUGUSTA

Augusta, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) The Second Baptist church of this city was dedicated Sunday.

Four services were held during the day, beginning at 7:30 in the morning. Rev. J. B. Holley, of Jeffersonville, Ga., preached at the regular morning service, and Rev. M. Ashby Jones, of the First Baptist church, of Augusta, at the afternoon and night services.

Rev. O. P. Gilbert is pastor of the church and has been for over eleven years. The building was erected in 1907, but it was decided not to dedicate it until it was free from debt. The church represents a cost of over $18,000, and seats 500.

Cloud Stanford Company say— GOODBYE to ATLANTA Goodbye to the people of this Community

Retiring, as we do, with the most profound regrets, from a business which has been honorably conducted for more than eight years, there is still a sense of satisfaction in the recollections of the many happy days we have spent in the past.

To the many friends—the loyal patrons and the great number of well-wishers who have honored us with their patronage in the past—we wish to assure you of our keenest appreciation.

Although this appreciation is mingled with regret over the necessity which compels us to resign from the retail field in Atlanta, we will always cherish the fondness which you have so often demonstrated for our preference.

We are now closing out our stock—making preparation for drawing the curtains—and on the 22nd of January your favorite store will pass into history.

Sale Begins This Morning at 8 O'Clock

"Lion" Collars $1.10 Per Dozen. ½ Dozen, 60c; Each 10c.

$15 Suits and Overcoats $10.65
$20 Suits and Overcoats $12.65
$25 Suits and Overcoats $14.65
$30 Suits and Overcoats $16.65
$35 Suits and Overcoats $19.65

"Arrow" Collars $1.10 Per Dozen. ½ Dozen, 60c; Each 10c.

NECKWEAR
$3.00 Grade $1.35
$2.50 Grade $1.15
$2.00 Grade ....$ .85
$1.50 Grade ....$ .65
$1.00 Grade ....$ .55
$ .75 Grade ....$ .40
$ .50 Grade ....$ .35

UNDERWEAR
$ .50 Grade ....$ .35
$ .75 Grade ....$ .45
$1.00 Grade ....$ .65
$1.25 Grade ....$ .85
$1.50 Grade $1.05
$2.00 Grade $1.15

MEN'S SHIRTS
$1.00 Grade ....$ .70
$1.50 Grade $1.05
$2.00 Grade $1.25
$2.50 Grade $1.35
$3.00 Grade $1.65
$5.00 Silks $2.85

NIGHTSHIRTS
$ .50 Grade ....$ .30
$ .75 Grade ....$ .40
$1.00 Grade ....$ .65
$1.25 Grade ....$ .85
$1.50 Grade $1.05

PAJAMAS
$1.50 Grade $1.05
$2.00 Grade $1.15
$2.50 Grade $1.35
$3.00 Grade $1.65
$3.50 Grade $1.95
$4.00 Grade $2.15
$5.00 Grade $2.65
$6.00 Grade $3.35
$7.50 Grade $3.95
$10.00 Grade $4.15

ALL SUMMER CLOTHING HALF PRICE

We have about 150 suits of lightweight and light color, summer suits, which were carried over from last season that we offer at exactly half price. The sizes are broken, and the lots are broken, but the styles and fabrics are very desirable and if your size is here, you will obtain a wonderful value.

"ONYX" HOSIERY
$ .25 Grade (3 for 50c) ....$ .20
$ .50 Grade (3 for $1) ....$ .35

FULL DRESS SHIRTS
$1.50 and $2.00 Grades ....$ .85
$2.50 and $3.00 Grades $1.15
$3.50 and $4.00 Grades $1.35
$5.00 and $7.50 Grades $2.15

HANDKERCHIEFS
$ .05 Grade, 6 for ....$ .25
$ .10 Grade, 6 for ....$ .40
$ .15 Grade, 6 for ....$ .55
$ .25 Grade, 6 for ....$ .95
$. 35 Grade, 6 for $1.15

DRESS TIES
$ .25 Grade ....$ .15
$ .50 Grade ....$ .25
$1.00 Grade ....$ .50

SOFT COLLARS
$ .15 Grade ....$ .10
$ .25 Grade ....$ .15

DRESS GLOVES
$1.50 Grade ....$ .85
$2.00 Grade ....$ .95
$2.25 Grade $1.05

SILK AND OPERA HATS
$8.00 Grade Reduced to $4.00

FULL DRESS AND TUXEDO VESTS
$2.50 and $3.00 Grades $1.15
$4 and $5.00 Grades $1.95
$6.00 to $10.00 Grades $2.95

COLLEGE PENNANTS
Representing all the various colleges in this section; originally sold for $1.00 to $2.00 each. Now choice 20c

Sweater COATS
$3.00 Grade $1.65
$3.50 Grade $2.65
$5.00 Grade $3.35
$6.00 Grade $3.95

Belts and SUSPENDERS
$ .50 Grade ....$ .35
$ .75 Grade ....$ .45
$1.00 Grade ....$ .65
$1.50 Grade ....$ .95

MEN'S HATS
$2.00 Grade $1.15
$2.50 Grade $1.35
$3.00 Grade $1.95
$3.50 Grade $2.15
$4.00 Grade $2.65

Street GLOVES
$1.50 Grade $1.05
$2.00 Grade $1.25
$2.25 Grade $1.35

Ladies' UMBRELLAS
$3.00 Grade $1.15
$6.00 Grade $2.15

Men's UMBRELLAS
$1.00 Grade ....$ .75
$1.50 Grade $1.05
$2.00 Grade $1.25

FANCY VESTS
$2.50 Grade $1.15
$3.00 Grade $1.35
$4.00 Grade $1.95
$5.00 Grade $2.35

Crusher HATS
$1.00 Grade ....$ .55
$1.50 Grade ....$ .75
$2.00 Grade ....$ .95

MEN'S CAPS
$ .50 Grade ....$ .30
$ .75 Grade ....$ .40
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COCA-COLA DELEGATES PLAN 1916 CAMPAIGN

Opening Meeting Monday Called to Order by Sales Manager S. C. Dobbs.

Over one hundred salesmen and branch managers of the Coca-Cola company are holding a three days' meeting at the Hotel Ansley. The delegates have come to the convention from all parts of Canada, Cuba and the United States and while in this city will map out a 1916 campaign for the extension of business.

Monday morning the open meeting was called to order in the ball room of the Ansley by Sales Manager S. C. Dobbs, who presided. The morning session was given over to speeches by members of the sales force.

It is the annual custom for President Asa G. Candler, of the company, to make the opening address at the convention, but owing to an illness which has confined him to his home he was unable to be present Monday morning and the opening addresses were delivered by Judge John S. and Charles H. Candler, vice presidents of the company.

Last night at Verner's cafe, the visitors were entertained with a barbecue and dinner at which time came the real fun of the convention.

At the meeting this morning, the delegates will take up and thresh out the problem of advertising. The last day's session will be given over to the mapping out of plans for the new year.

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a scurish twinge which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment and above all, keep it up! As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast, act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

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Najour Denies Feud Between His Family And That of Maloofs

Costa G. Najour, leader of the Najour family, which is one of the most prominent in Atlanta's Syrian colony, on Decatur street, which has been the scene of several disturbances in the last few months, issued a statement to The Constitution, last night, in which he declared that there is no "feud hatred" between his family and the Maloof family.

His statement is as follows:

"In order that my business reputation may not unnecessarily suffer by reason of an erroneous rumor having been circulated to the effect that a feud has existed for some time between the Najour family and the Maloof family, and that this feud culminated in an outbreak on Sunday night, December 26, 1915, I wish to state the following facts:

"At the time of this difficulty I was not in the city of Atlanta.

"While the difficulty occurred at one of my stores, which was in charge of my brother, Michael Najour, it was in no sense the result of a feud existing between the Najour family and the Maloof family. The difficulty arose because of an imaginary grievance upon the part of Mender Maloof against Michael Domany, who happened to be in one of my stores at the time of their meeting. The assault made by Maloof upon Domany did not grow out of any feud existing between the Najours and the Maloofs. In an effort to act as peacemaker my brother was attacked by Maloof and his friends, which attack made it necessary for my brother to defend himself.

"The impression that the outbreak was caused by a feud between the Najours and Maloofs might possibly affect my standing in the community in which I have lived for fourteen years, and as this impression is not founded upon fact, I think it is proper that I should make this statement.

"Very truly,

"COSTA G. NAJOUR."

ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF STEALING $40,000

Rocky Mount, N. C., January 3.—A man alleged to be F. M. Scott, alias V. W. Pugh, was arrested by detectives at Croatan, N. C., late yesterday on a charge of having been implicated in the misappropriation of approximately $40,000 from the DuPont Powder company. The officers said Pugh was employed in the auditing department of the corporation's office in Hopewell, Va., until recently. Pugh, who was lodged in jail here, denied the charge and has retained counsel to oppose his extradition to Virginia.

The authorities tonight asserted that the prisoner had admitted he was Pugh and that he had been employed by the DuPont company as an auditor.

It was said that the corporation lost in excess of $100,000 through the "padding" of the pay roll at the Hopewell plant. Detectives declare that several other persons were implicated in the embezzlement and that the search for them is being continued in Virginia and North Carolina.

Hopewell, Va., January 3.—Chief of Police Cotton has been notified of the arrest in Milledgeville, Ga., suspected of being V. M. Pugh, a former resident of Petersburg, who is charged with complicity in the recent swindle at the DuPont works, by which, as alleged, money to a large amount—some believe $100,000—was lost to the company by the padding of the pay rolls.

Several arrests have been made in this connection.

Milledgeville, Ga., January 3.—Police and county authorities said late today that P. M. Pugh, charged with complicity in a recent pay rolls swindle at the DuPont works at Hopewell, Va., had not been arrested here. Pugh, whose father and wife live here, left Milledgeville about three months ago, saying that he was going to Texas. As far as could be learned he has not been in Milledgeville or vicinity recently. It also was said that no arrests had been made here in connection with the DuPont charges.

ROBERT ALSTON DIES AT HOME IN AUSTELL

Robert Alston, aged 60 years, 35 of which he spent as an employee of the Western Union Telegraph company, in Atlanta and Austell, died at the latter place Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He is survived by his wife and one son, Thomas Alston, also an employee of the Western Union. For the past ten years Mr. Alston had resided at Austell, where he was known as one of the most beloved men of the community. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, interment following at Rose Hill cemetery.

ON ACCOUNT OF THE REMOVAL

of our offices to the Connally building next week, we will sell at a sacrifice all the carpets, linoleum and iron safes now located in the ten rooms constituting our present offices in the Kiser building, corner Hunter and Pryor streets. Call promptly and make us a bid.

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Everything For the Recall Is a Blackball Against Atlanta.

CONNALLY BUILDING RECEIVING OCCUPANTS

Professional Men and Other Firms Are Moving Into the Handsome New Structure.

The new Connally Realty building at the corner of Whitehall and Alabama streets, which is now about completed, is daily receiving its complement of patrons.

The building is modern in every respect, and on account of its location will doubtless soon be filled with professional men, though it is ideal for all classes of tenants.

Some of the firms and individuals who have already taken space in the new building are Nalley & Scott, attorneys, with offices at 407-8-9-10; the Provident Life and Trust company, who are in offices 308-9; W. J. Laney, attorney, at 525; Dr. L. M. White, dentist, 312-13. Other tenants who will move into the building during the coming week are Lindsay & Lewis, attorneys, who will occupy 422-24, and Miss M. L. Bishop, modiste, who will occupy suites 212-13-14. Still others are now negotiating for space.

The well-known legal firm of Dorsey, Brewster, Howell & Heyman have leased large and handsome quarters in the new building, and will soon move from their offices in the Kiser building.

The Southern Guarantee Loan company is another large company which is also moving its offices into the Connally building, and will be located in an elegant suite of rooms.

The building is filling up very fast, and the Connally Realty company believe it will only be a short time until all offices will be occupied.

PROBATION SYSTEM CHANGES ARE URGED BY JUDGE JOHNSON

Recorder George E. Johnson's annual report to the mayor and general council was filed yesterday afternoon. It showed that only 29 more cases were docketed in police court this past year than in the year 1914, the total running slightly over 16,000.

The recorder recommends improvements in the present probation system; asks that an automobile be furnished the special court officer whose sole duty it is to collect contempt fines in police court and look after contempt cases; recommends an examining board for auto chauffeurs, and, lastly, a farm for delinquent drunkards.

The following is a comparison for the two years of alleged violators who were bound over to the state courts for various crimes:

	1914.	1915.
Murder	14	17
Burglary	270	260
Robbery	102	84
Forgery	41	16
Disorderly houses	79	12
Gambling	9	139
Carrying concealed pistols without license	87	107
Vagrancy	268	81
Larceny from the house	427	204
Carrying concealed weapons	100	49

Chief Mayo's report for the past year shows that fifteen arrests for murder were made last year by the police as compared with ten arrests in the preceding year.

An increase of 519 arrests for drunkenness was registered in 1915, there being 3,514 arrests in this year as compared to 2,995 in 1914.

In 1915, 537 women were handled in the matron's ward against 549 in 1914.

A total of 1,632 years and 6 months in sentences for state crimes was imposed by the state courts on defendants sent there from the police department.

The annual report of Chief of Detectives Newport A. Lanford, made to the police chief, shows that stolen property valued at $59,693.72 was recovered and returned to 1,099 owners during the year 1915. The detectives answered 3,292 calls for assistance from citizens and made 1,694 arrests.

MEMBERS OF Y. M. C. A. FOR AN ARMY RESERVE

New York, January 3.—One hundred members of the East Side branch of the Young Men's Christian association have enrolled in a company for military training, it was announced today. This is the first step in a plan initiated by this branch to have the more than 50,000 Young Men's Christian association members throughout the country formed into an army reserve.

The general plan for the reserve has been passed upon by Major General Leonard W. Wood, commander of the department of the east, and Major General John F. Ryan, of the New York National gaurd, it was stated. While a considerable portion of the training work is expected to be done in gymnasiums and armories, city authorities have indicated that streets and parks may be made available at certain periods for the reserve companies.

"DEAD" FOR 51 YEARS, HE GETS U. S. POSITION

Denver, January 3.—A man who has been dead for more than fifty-one years, according to the records of the war department became an officer in the department of justice today when W. A. Jamieson, of Denver, took the position of announcer in the United States district court here.

Jamieson, a corporal in the 103d Pennsylvania infantry in the civil war, escaped from the Andersonville, Ga., prison. His name was confused with that of another prisoner who died, and Jamieson had a picture of the tombstone, No. 4590, in the national cemetery at Andersonville. His "death" is recorded on August 2, 1864.

NO POISON IS FOUND IN STOMACH OF BOOTH

Montgomery, Ala., January 3.—That the stomach of Knox Booth, former internal revenue agent, did not contain poison was announced today by Drs. S. H. Centerfit and J. M. Anderson. The physicians, acting under orders of the government, exhumed the body of Knox Booth at Prattville, Ala., and made the examination, it being suspected that Booth was poisoned and that his sudden death in Memphis, as he was about to board a train for Nashville, was the result of poisoning. He was a witness in the moonshine conspiracy cases at Fort Smith. The physicians state further that his death was the result of a malignant attack of stomach ulceration.

CENTRAL LIFE COMPANY DECLARED INSOLVENT

Frankfort, Ky., January 3.—Acting upon the report of state examiners who said that "it is hopelessly insolvent," and that "its further operation is pernicious to the public," State Insurance Commissioner Matt C. Clay today filed suit in the Franklin county circuit court asking that a receiver be appointed for the Central Life Insurance Company of Lexington, Ky.

The examiner's report showed the company's assets to be $124,130.45 against $240,877.80 liabilities.

The company was organized in August, 1911, with an authorized capital of $100,000.

Ship-Building at Tampa.

Tampa, Fla., January 3.—Marking a new era in modern ship construction in this part of the south, the Tampa Foundry and Machine Works today began construction of a 2,000-ton modern steel steamship for the Central Hudson Steamboat company, of New York. The steamer will be 316 feet long, 48 feet beam and equipped with triple expansion engines. She is designed for the Hudson river trade.

Every Vote For The Recall Is a Blackball Against Atlanta.

AGAINST THE RECALL

Messrs. Jackson and Eagan, in their bulletins, have indicted the city of Atlanta and all her citizens who do not agree with them.

Upon this indictment they have hinged the Recall election of next Wednesday, assuring us that the good people in Atlanta will vote for the Recall, and so only the bad people will be left to vote against it.

Mr. Marion Jackson, in advertising the last issue of his paper, urges its sale with this naive assurance: "YOUR LAST CHANCE TO HEAR THE TRUTH UNTIL AFTER THE ELECTION."

What an arrogation! To be the one man in his community able or willing to tell the truth is a grave responsibility.

What if Mr. Jackson should at any time become the victim of penman's cramp! Surely "they are the people and wisdom will die with them." What is the charge? The general degeneracy of Atlanta expressed in many ugly words, unfit to be read by our wives and daughters.

The trial is set for January 5th.

The jury consists of the more than twelve thousand registered voters of this fair city. What will the verdict be?

A vote for the Recall is an endorsement of two self-constituted dictators who have had the temerity to claim a monopoly of all the virtues, personal and civic.

Styling themselves the "FORCES OF GOOD" and all who differ with them the "FORCES OF EVIL," they lack even the humor to see the absurdity of their position.

Do you care, by your vote, to encourage such arrogance? Before you do so, stop and think where power will lead these people and you.

If the Recall carries, the most reckless charges which have ever been made against any city will be confirmed against the one in which you live.

Is that the vote you want to cast on Wednesday?

Atlanta has become the greatest community of its size in the world, not because of material advantages, but by reason of the continued and stalwart adherence to it of its citizens. "Atlanta's Horn" is famous and its constant use is justly credited with a large share in Atlanta's upbuilding.

But we must remember its unfailing blasts have carried to the world nothing but praise of the city of a united people's love.

If "Atlanta's Horn" is to carry to the world such foul stories of Atlanta's vice and unworthiness as the Recall Bulletins proclaim, it were better that its sound be silenced.

Will you vote for the old-time "Atlanta Horn" that has made Atlanta what it is, or, by voting for the Recall, perpetuate a blast of discord, intolerance and overbearing arrogance?

Every vote for the Recall is a blackball against Atlanta.

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE AGAINST THE RECALL

FRANK WELDON, Secretary

602-603 Chamber of Commerce Building

How to Mark Your Ballot to Vote Against the Recall

Official Ballot

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Recall Election

January 5, 1916

~~For the recall of J. G. Woodward, Holding the office of Mayor.~~

Against the recall of J. G. Woodward, Holding the office of Mayor.

~~For the recall of W. P. Fain, Holding the office of Police Commissioner.~~

Against the recall of W. P. Fain, Holding the office of Police Commissioner.

~~For the recall of J. W. English, Holding the office of Police Commissioner.~~

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~~For the recall of R. T. Pace, Holding the office of Police Commissioner.~~

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~~For the recall of R. C. Clarke, Holding the office of Police Commissioner.~~

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~~For the recall of A. R. King, Holding the office of Police Commissioner.~~

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SIZING THE SITUATION.

As further emphasizing the damage done the good name of Atlanta by brazenly abusive and untruthful charges emanating from within the city, The Constitution this morning prints two noteworthy statements concerning civic conditions in Atlanta—extracts from Judge Ben Hill's charge to the January grand jury and another stirring letter from Sam Small.

Judge Hill has been for three decades an official engaged in the enforcement of law in the city and state. He was the solicitor general who effectually pulled through the superior court end of Mayor English's campaign to exterminate professional gambling in this city. Judge Hill speaks with impressive authority when he—like Judge W. T. Newman, of the United States court—denies the slanders heaped upon the moral character and conduct of this great city. His words will carry strong conviction to the minds and influence the action of the great majority of voters who will ballot on the recall tomorrow.

Sam Small's intimate knowledge of Atlanta history, men and conditions, his extensive travels, his years of labor as a reformer in all parts of the nation, make his words especially valuable. His testimony that Atlanta has no peer on the continent as a city of morality, charity, progress in all humanities and loyalty to law and order cannot be ignored, or successfully contested.

These two utterances from men who have known Atlanta from the inside for more than a generation and who love her name, her fame and her people, will go far with patriotic and unprejudiced voters and find full vindication in the court of the ballots tomorrow night.

JUSTICE JOSEPH R. LAMAR.

Entitled by all standards of longevity to at least a decade more of active and efficient service upon the bench of the highest court in the world, the supreme court of the United States, Associate Justice Joseph R. Lamar, appointed to that court from Georgia, has laid down his life in the very prime of its greatest usefulness at the age of 58.

Justice Lamar's last attack was due largely to overwork. There is no need to say this to those who knew the man. But in addition, the evidence of his attending physicians supports it; he literally worked himself into the grave.

The impulse to work with Justice Lamar proceeded from an innate love of it. His was a natural, God-given judicial mind. Coupled with that judicial temperament was an inborn sense of justice and fair play which was ever characteristic of the man. It entered into every phase of his daily life. The appeal of judicial work overpowered him; he was unable to resist it. To him a fine point in a law case was almost the equivalent in excitement to that experienced by a "fan" at a close baseball game. He would listen intently all day to a close-drawn legal argument, then carry books home with him at night and read them with the avidity of the young person in the midst of an entertaining novel. He would break his hours of sleep by rising in the middle of the night to jot down a thought upon some phase of a case before him, to prevent its escaping him. Such intense mental activity was bound, sooner or later, to have its effect upon the physical man; and as strong and temperate as he was, it eventually overcame him.

Justice Lamar's appointment to the supreme bench of the United States by President Taft in 1910 was one of the very few instances in which men of opposite political faith have been accorded such recognition. It was during President Taft's visit to Augusta, Justice Lamar's home city, that they met and became firm friends. He had served in the legislature and upon the supreme bench of his state. It was his universally recognized ability and integrity that led to his appointment to the nation's highest court, notwithstanding he was then a corporation attorney, and at a time when corporate connection was publicly viewed with more or less suspicion.

In the brief space of five years' service on that bench he made wonderful impress. His judicial mind and his sense of justice were appreciated by the foremost lawyers; his decisions were seldom the subject of request for rehearing. It was in recognition of these fine qualities that President Wilson named him in 1914 upon the mediation conference between the United States and Mexico.

Georgia has given many splendid men to the nation, but none of whom she has greater reason to be proud than Justice Lamar. His death is a national loss, and everywhere that his wealth of achievement in his brief career is known, it will be so felt and appreciated.

PRYOR STREET EXTENSION.

It is earnestly to be hoped that the finance committee of council will give favorable consideration, in the making of the January budget, to the urgent request of the citizens of the second ward for the extension of South Pryor street to the Southeastern fair grounds at Lakewood.

There is double reason why this should be done. South Pryor is a direct thoroughfare from the heart of the city to South Atlanta. It is an important artery of travel through one of the city's best and most thickly populated sections. It makes direct connection with Georgia avenue, recently improved with smooth pavement to Grant Park.

Both the demand and the need for it should impel the city not only to open the street through to Lakewood, but to provide it with a smooth, serviceable pavement throughout its length.

In the second place, and of almost equal importance, Atlanta must have both a direct and smoothly paved route to the Southeastern fair. We have begun to build at Lakewood a fair and exposition that shall be second to none in the country. There is no more important factor in the success of these plans than ease of approach. We cannot afford to build a big fair, the biggest in the south, and isolate it with tortuous routes.

The coming fall Atlanta proposes to have a big fair at Lakewood. It will be the best exposition of southern resources and industries yet shown. If we extend South Pryor street to its gates and pave it we shall have done almost as much to favor it and make it great, as we do by erecting new and splendid buildings, or marshalling multitudinous exhibits of southern industry and enterprise.

BANKING AND POLITICS.

The federal reserve board, which exercises supervision over the recently established district reserve banks, recently adopted a resolution which says in part:

> "Persons holding political or public office in the service of the United States . . . cannot consistently with the spirit and underlying principles of the federal reserve act serve as directors or officers of federal reserve banks."

The Springfield (Mass.) Union and The New York Sun both commend the spirit and letter of the reserve board's action. They recognize and comment upon the importance of eliminating politics from banking, and particularly from national banking.

It is interesting and important that both agree that the rule applied to the director boards should fit with equal force the federal reserve board itself. The Sun is somewhat sarcastic in its comment. It says:

> Excellent! But it is difficult to the point of impossibility for water to rise higher than its source without artificial pressure. The fact that the federal reserve board's resolution was adopted at the suggestion of William G. McAdoo does not obscure the other fact that he holds "public office in the service of the United States" and as secretary of the treasury sits with his colleague, the comptroller of the currency, as a member of the federal reserve board, which is the supreme directorate of the reserve banking system.

The Springfield Union puts it mildly, but with equal force:

> It hardly needs to be said that this same spirit and policy should be applied with even greater painstaking to the membership of the federal reserve board itself, whose constituency should be formed with the same conscientious care as that of the supreme court. Because of their authority in this connection the offices of secretary of the treasury and comptroller of currency assume added weight and importance, and it is essential that political considerations should not determine the selection of these incumbents.

That the rule is a good one, there can be no question. We may assume from its passage and from the character of the men who made it, that ultimately it will be made to fit the entire federal reserve system.

Brand Whitlock may have a rough voyage of it, but it seemed the only way to avoid a vice-presidential nomination.

Country's safe. When T. R. takes a breathing spell former President Taft tells the government how to run itself.

When Boy-Ed hits the home grit he'll have a better opportunity to tell 'em all he doesn't know about us.

California wants "a national powder factory;" but hasn't she been that very thing all along?

"Republicans and progressives may get together"—to see whose fur will fly first.

The non-progressive are still waiting for the wind to turn the new leaf for them.

JUST FROM GEORGIA

By Frank L. Stanton

The Old Year's Ghost.

I.

The clock struck time for
him to go:
Said I: "He's down and
out!"
I heard the valleys breathe
goodby,
And all the great hills
shout.
But still he rises, clothed in gloom,
And pitches things around the room!

II.

It isn't when the firelight flames,
But when the dark is deep
Old broken resolution-frames
He scatters over sleep!
A ghost—and yet no ghost it seems
That drives gray Trouble through your
dreams!

III.

It comes, relentlessly as Fate
And says, with iron will:
"If you don't keep the New Year straight
I'll haunt the darkness still!"
And in the dark it comes, like doom,
And pitches things around the room!

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A Genuine Father's Day.

"I'm heartily in favor of a national Fathers' Day," says Sam W. Small, "but I want it to be that, indeed. For instance, it should be a day of perfect freedom—turn 'em into a ten-acre lot and then say to Father: 'This is your day, old man; just whirl in and cut up to suit yourself!'"

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In Winter Time

I.

SORTER LIKE THE WINTER TIME
WITH FIRES BLAZIN' BRIGHT,
WHEN ALL THE COTTAGE WALLS
AIR GREEN
AN' ALL THE MEADOWS WHITE;
WHEN FROM THE BREEZY COUNTRY-
SIDE
THE BLUE SMOKE UPWARD CURLS
AN' THE MISTLETOE IS TEMPTIN'
THE RED LIPS O' THE GIRLS!

II.

SORTER LIKE THE WINTER TIME—
FER WHAT'S THE SNOW AN' SLEET
WHEN THE FIDDLE MAKES THE MUSIC
FER A FELLER'S WILLIN' FEET?
WHEN THE GIRLS AIR CANDY-PULLIN',
THE OL' FOLKS NODDIN' NIGH
AN' THE MISTLETOE IS TEMPTIN'
AN' THAR'S KISSIN' ON THE SLY!

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All to the Good!

Folger McKinsey, of The Baltimore Sun, greets the New Year with this:

"Good year and God's best;
Good dreams, and sweet rest;
Good wine and good ale,
Sweet songs in the vale;
Good health and good looks;
Fine days and old books;
Good bread and good meat,
Lots to drink and to eat,
And more years than you've known—
Ere the zest of it's flown—
To kiss lips that are sweet!"

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One Chance for You.

Don't try the whip-the-devil-around-the-stump-business in the New Year. Blast the stump till it leaves only a hole in the ground, and maybe the devil will fall in the hole and you can put the lid on him.

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Can't Fool the Old Man.

When Trouble wears the mask of Joy
Even then he's not a riddle;
We recognize him when he plays
The first tune on the fiddle!

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Settle Up!

When the devil's to pay, don't put him off. He might be an embarrassing bill collector some time when you're shouting in meeting.

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The Old Home-Place.

The city's climbin' out o' sight—
Close to the sky it seems,
But the old home's in the valley-light,
Loved of the morning and the night,
And there we gather dreams.

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It's Ever the Way.

"Sweet is sleep to the weary poor," says a Georgia philosopher, "but the alarm clock rings for daybreak at the very minute we're dreaming that we're rich!"

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Worth Considering.

"Turn over a new leaf—by all means," says Bob Gonzales, in The Columbia State, "but you'd better put a good, heavy paper-weight on it."

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Match Him!

Don't worry 'bout the flight of Time
And spend your days in sighing;
But prove to him you're fit and prime—
That YOU can do some flying!

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And Still They Try.

George Bailey says, in The Houston Post, that "one of the things it seems to be hardest for some motorists to learn is the difficulty of knocking a train from a railroad track."

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So He'll Pull Through.

"A little short on coal," says The Adams Enterprise, "but plenty of red-hot New Year resolutions on hand."

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Julepy Weather.

The paragrapher of The Baltimore Sun settled the New Year business by "turning over a new leaf of mint."

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A Recall.

Thought New Year skies would clear off
When the last red drop was gone;
Alas! We heard him swear off,
And now he's swearing on!

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Word From Br'er Williams.

Ef you wants a new worl' it's up ter you ter make it. De good Lawd gives you de tools an' de opportunity, so quit growlin', an' whirl in!

RIPPLING RHYMES

By WALT MASON.

THE PLUTE'S LIBRARY.

Oh, stately books, in handsome cases, all standing in their proper places, selected, with an artist's feeling, to match the furniture and ceiling! Pope's, Milton's, Scott's and Shakespeare's grinding, done up in costly leather binding, and all so dismal and forbidding, that you would cry, "Aw, quit your kidding," if some one said, "Sit down and read 'em, to browse around you have full freedom." They stand in rows, all unmolested, unread, unfingered, undigested, save when a housemaid comes to clean them, and from the dust and cobwebs wean them. The plute exhibits them to callers, and says, "They cost ten thousand dollars; I hired a man who knows good writers—that Shakespeare dub and kindred blighters—and said to him, 'Now, off you caper, and buy me books to match this paper; the libra'y's here, so go and trim it with Standard Works, and crowd the limit.'" In my cheap shack the books are scattered around the floor, all stained and battered; they have no deckle-edged ambitions—they're mostly 50-cent editions; but every hour and day I need them, and all the neighbors come and read them.

CITY HALL GOSSIP

JUST A LITTLE "TIP."

(By the City Hall Poet Laureate to the New Council for 1916.)

Ye councilmen who serve this year
May be both wise and witty,
But it's no joke to wisely care
For such a growing city.

The dinners, banquets, barbecues,
That come as your perquisites,
A single one you needn't lose,
And yet not have the figits.

Your duty do—don't "stall," or play,
Come to the scratch instanter—
To "chew the rag" is not the way
To take care of Atlanta.

ATLANTA NOW HAS A NEW COUNCIL READY FOR BUSINESS

Well, the city now has a new council.

The old council of 1915 went out of business last night, and the council for 1916 took the reins of government.

There is much work for the new council to do and the first business will be a "scrapping around" by the finance committee to see what can be counted upon in the way of money to meet the current expenses and provide for some of the big public improvements. The committee will meet in a few days for a preliminary survey and then get down to business.

RAILROAD COMMISSION ASKED TO HELP WITH TRAFFIC LAWS

The city council ascertained yesterday that it had to go before the state railroad commission in order to get a part of the new traffic laws enforced.

The traffic laws provide, among other things, that the street cars abolish stops on the far side of street crossings. The street car company is willing to do this, but cannot do so unless authorized by the railroad commission.

The commission will be memorialized to allow the city to enforce that portion of the traffic laws.

WATERWAGONS AND BANDWAGONS AS MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION

The council committee on freight rates and transportation which has been "ragged" as being a sort of "statesman without a job," made a report to council yesterday afternoon through its chairman, Orville H. Hall.

After the report had treated of business it proceeded to speak of transportation on "waterwagons" and "bandwagons." It recommended that as many waterwagons as possible be provided for this year, and that politicians be requested to watch how they jumped on bandwagons when riding was precarious.

RACCOON AND SCREECH OWL MAY BE ALL LEFT IN ZOO

Councilman George Flowman Freeman, who was chairman of the council committee on parks last year, made a report to council Monday afternoon in which he urged that more money be provided for the zoo. He concluded by saying:

"If the zoo doesn't get more money we soon won't have anything left out there but a raccoon and a screech owl."

ORDINANCE TO REGULATE FILMS IS NOW UP TO THE MAYOR

The film ordinance, which regulates the manufacture and handling of films within the city limits, was adopted by the city council Monday afternoon.

An effort was made to refer the ordinance to the new council, but it was voted down.

The ordinance is said to be satisfactory to the people engaged in the film business.

PROBATION OFFICER ORDINANCE WENT OVER TO NEW COUNCIL

The ordinance creating the adult probation officer as a separate department of police was taken up by the city council Monday afternoon and referred to the council for this year.

It was stated on the floor of council that Recorder George E. Johnson had requested that the ordinance be held up until he could appear before a council committee.

The ordinance will now have to be taken up by the new council as new matter.

CITY MARSHAL GETS RAISE IN SALARY OF $600 A YEAR

An ordinance increasing the salary of the city marshal from $2,400 to $3,000 a year was adopted by council yesterday afternoon and concurred in by the aldermanic board.

This action was taken because of the increased duties on the marshal's office caused by the large increase in taxable values in the city, and because the marshal, James M. Fuller, had made such an excellent record for the past three years.

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS

By GEORGE FITCH,
Author of "At Good Old Siwash."

At this particular period of the year, the New Year's resolution begins to occupy the attention of a great many citizens of varying prominence and sobriety. The New Year's resolution is a superstition to the effect that between 11 p. m. and midnight on December 31 of each year, a backbone composed of gelatine and putty will suddenly stiffen up and become so inflexible that its possessor will be enabled to say "No" and stick to it for years at a time.

Acting on this superstition, men who cannot exist throughout the year without a drink before and after each thirst, resolve never to drink again; while men whose mouths would feel like an extinct and unfilled crater without cigars in them, declare that henceforth and forever they will remain outside of the Amalgamated Order of Human Chimneys and will use the money thus saved to buy houses and farms.

Sad to say most of these resolutions do not last over forty-eight hours. There are many reasons for this. In the first place, it is true that between 11 and 12 o'clock on the night of Decembeer 31 men find it easy to refrain from drink and smoke, because they are usually full of both at that time. If there was some method of continuing this hour indefinitely, a great many tender little resolves would not be drowned at an early age.

Another reason is the fact that resolutions go into the game with no practice. A man who wouldn't play football without looking up the rules will start on a dry year with no practice whatever. New Year's resolutions ought to be made on November 1, thus giving the maker two months in which to get up when necessary and dust off his clothes.

Another reason is the fact that men of weak and wabbly wills attempt too much. Such men should begin by swearing off on Welsh rarebit for a year. When this has been accomplished, let them swear off on mince pie of the intoxicating variety. They will then find it easy to refrain for a year from spring tonics and by the fourth year they will be able to look the cocktail squarely in the cherry and pass it by with a virtuous frown—providing they can get rid of their friends. Friends are to New Year's resolutions what cats are to mice, and what a hard frost is to a peach bud.

Supreme Court of Georgia.

Argued and Submitted.

H. G. Sammons, commissioner, et al. v. J. A. Sturgis et al.; from Glascock.

Central of Georgia Railway Company v. Bibb Brick Company; from Bibb.

Sam Small Writes on Damage Done Atlanta Abroad by Untruthful Attacks

BY SAM W. SMALL.

Sam W. Small.

Editor Constitution: It has been suggested to me that, following my article in The Constitution of yesterday, I should make sure that a repudiation of the recall by the voters tomorrow will not mean that the people of Atlanta have voted for immoral rather than moral civic conditions.

I have no fear whatever that any sensible man in or out of Atlanta will put such a monstrous construction upon a refusal by the majority of our voters to sanction the recall of such a man as Captain English upon the charges alleged against him.

As I stated frankly, I am mostly concerned in this crisis to stand by him as my friend and by the welfare of Atlanta as my beloved home city. If I could, by any array of facts or reasons, be led to believe that Captain English is an enemy of Atlanta, a menace to her morals and a protector of public vice instead of public virtue, I would join the hue and cry of the recallers with all my might and main. But the convicting facts are lacking and the reasons given for his recall are flaccid and futile to support so serious a proceeding.

Those Damaging "Bulletins."

I travel more than twenty thousand miles throughout the country every year and speak to over three hundred large audiences each year. Advertised from Atlanta I am everywhere talked with about Atlanta, and probably I know as much about the popular national opinions of Atlanta as any living man.

In my work I am frequently in joint debates with representatives of the liquor and other anti-moral elements. In those debates I have had men like ex-Mayor Dave Rose, of Milwaukee; Clarence Darrow, of Chicago; Charley Windle, of Brann's Iconoclast, and Congressman Jake Meeker, of the Anheuser-Busch district in St. Louis, jeer at me before thousands of their partisans because of the alleged lawlessness, drunkenness and general immoralities of "dry Atlanta."

When I have challenged them for the proof of their assertions they have flaunted before me the far-flung, fiery headed "Bulletins" published in Atlanta newspapers, and dared me to deny the public testimony of my fellow citizens!

Defying All Decency.

Nevertheless, I have denied the specific truth of those charges that Atlanta is a hotbed of vice, prostitution, anarchy and defiance of all the decencies of civilized life, and I have offered to pay the fare of any of those men who would come with me to Atlanta and find the conditions they so glibly gloated over.

I wish my fellow Atlantans to know that all the charges made anywhere against the morals, the law and order, and the civilization of Atlanta are sent forth from Atlanta.

In years past I have stood before the people of Atlanta and publicly denounced Mayor Woodward, and helped what I could to defeat him for the mayoralty when he was defeated. I was not the enemy of the man, but of his habits at that time. Since then Jim Woodward has made good in a manly and worthy way. I would be less than a fair man, a fair fighter, if I did not acknowledge his better ways and stand for the fellow who wakes up, gets up, stands up and stays up in a sober, honest and serviceable life.

Of course, if Jim English, Jim Woodward, or any other person, or any faction, should endeavor to demoralize Atlanta, sacrifice her sobriety and public cleanness, bring back red-lightism, riff-raff politics and "general cussedness," I would fight them with every ounce of brain and blood I possess, and to the last ditch. To that I need not, I hope, make formal oath!

"Cleanest in the World."

I know the civic conditions of the principal cities of America from careful, necessary investigations. I declare my judgment here and now that there is no city, small or large, in North America that visibly manifests more cleanly civic conditions, or has less underworld vice, or has a whiter official record for honesty, economy and progress than the city of Atlanta.

The amazement of the outside public is unbounded that the exigencies of petty local politics should lead otherwise reasonable and unquestionably honest men in Atlanta to forfeit the city's good name before the world and advertise her as unfit for the visits or the residence of those who value moral environment, domestic safety and the guaranties of civic law and public order.

Let the sober, fair and unenvious citizens sternly rebuke this spirit of slander and home-sliming, with the distinct understanding sent to the world that Atlanta is not and never shall be ruled and ruined by factions, by the criminal interests, or by any cabal of the licentious or the lawless.

Review of Past Year Contained In Annual Message of Mayor

Mayor James G. Woodward read his annual message to the new council last night.

He reviewed the financial condition of the city, mentioned the demands of the charter and said council last year were unmindful of its provisions. He referred to what strife and discord there had been in council and said most of it had been "fostered in a nearby office building." He spoke of the crematory situation, and praised the Southeastern fair. Much space was devoted to the public schools and their needs. Other departments mentioned were the Grady hospital, the parks, the police, the fire, the waterworks and the construction departments.

The mayor stated in the outset that the city had felt the general financial depression, but had begun to recuperate last fall. He attributed the reaction to the good that was done by the fair and the Georgia Harvest Festival.

In dealing with the finances of the city he went back and covered the three years of his administration. He said when he entered the office he found the city $700,000 in debt and all the debts were illegal. At the beginning of the year 1915, he said, all the debts had been practically taken care of.

He reviewed at length the provisions of the city charter against the carrying over of unpaid bills. Large expenditures, he stated, were provided for with bond issues or by the levying of an emergency tax. He then states:

Went Beyond Its Authority.

"The general council during the past year has been very unmindful of these conditions and have gone beyond their authority, and by anticipation of money, have created obligations that will be carried over to the general council of 1916 to be paid or repudiated, in an amount of at least $100,000. There was no emergency that demanded that condition. It was merely done to further ward schemes and improvements such as appear and have to be taken care of every year. In other words, the general council of 1915 have spent more than $100,000 that should have been left with the general council of 1916, as every member of the general council has improvements to make in their different wards as much so as the general council of 1915."

He expressed his disapproval of such business methods.

"By reference to the report of the tax assessors of the city," he said, "it will be seen that the total assessments for real estate for the year 1915 amounted to $136,761,493. To this is added the receipts of tax from personal property to the amount of $50,023,043, making a total of real estate and personal property of $186,784,536. According to information received from the tax assessor's office, it is hardly presumable that there will be any increase from that amount for the year 1916. In fact, the information is given to me that those officers anticipate not less than $5,000,000 decrease. The real estate of this city is carrying the larger part of the burden, and it is regrettable to say that a considerable part of that is practically a total burden because of vacant property, as there is no income being received in return. Added to the already vacant stores and residences of the city, it will be remembered that there will be at least 200 more vacant stores on the first of May. It is not possible, therefore, for any increase in assessments on real estate. In fact, there are many instances where the present assessments will have to be decreased. Some members of the finance committee the first of 1915 thought I was too careful in estimating the receipts for that year, but upon revision of conditions at the end of the year it is plainly demonstrated that I was correct."

The mayor said it was hard to understand how any member of council could so recklessly take upon himself the responsibility of over-anticipating revenue.

While speaking of the finances he paid a high tribute to the comptroller's office.

Speaking of the friction that has from time to time occurred in the general council, the mayor said:

"A Rendezvous for Petty Politics."

"While it is not pleasant, yet I consider it my duty to the public to let them know the manner in which a considerable amount of friction in the transaction of their business occurs. The city of Atlanta has gone to considerable expense to buy the present City Hall building and arrange it for the transaction of the city's business.

"From information that has come to me from tenants and visitors, even members of council, a great part of the strife and discord that has occurred in the transaction of the city's affairs, has been generated and fostered in a room in a nearby office building. This condition has been going on for the past three years. Caucuses have been held there and schemes hatched out and forced through council that are not to the best interest of the people. That room seems to be a clearing house for all the little, petty politics of the city. This is the same element of political tricksters, together with a few extremists, that I had in my opposition for the mayoralty in 1913, and whom the people at that time very severely rebuked. That is the same element that is giving the city of Atlanta so much trouble at the present time."

The Crematory and the Courts.

He next took up the crematory situation and went over the court proceedings, and said:

"There never was any good reason for placing the matter in the courts; the city of Atlanta had never refused to take the plant when it was completed, but the city did insist that the plant must be completed according to contract. Even after the matter was entered into the court, they spent, according to my information, several thousand dollars trying to correct the ventilation of the plant, thereby showing that it was not completed when they went into court, and so far as the ventilation is concerned it is not completed to this day, as according to contract, it has to be ventilated through the stack chimney, whereas, there are ventilators all through the roof of the house and the windows are out, thereby permitting the stench to permeate in every direction."

The Southeastern Fair.

He took up the Southeastern fair and said that he had made good his pledge to see that the Lakewood property was taken care of. He said:

"I am proud to state that during the past year the Southeastern Fair association has been organized, and through an apportionment of the city of $75,000, and a like amount through the county commissioners, and a like amount subscribed by the members of the chamber of commerce, I feel gratified in being able to say that the Southeastern Fair association is an established fact.

"The county commissioners for the next year have already agreed to complete the South Pryor street extension to the fair grounds, and the Georgia Railway and Power company has further agreed to extend a street car line along this entire length."

Atlanta's Public Schools.

Reviewing the public schools, he said:

"The school question is ever one of vital importance to the people of Atlanta. In fact, our public school system is one of our best assets. During the past year considerable improvement has been made in our school system. The question of an universal high school system has been pretty thoroughly discussed and the public mind is pretty well fixed upon that question, and the general council should pursue that matter until a final completion. This would make a most splendid capstone for Atlanta's educational system.

"Within the past few months the board of education entered into a lease contract for a building to be erected on South Pryor as a co-educational institution for our commercial classes. This building has been completed and the boys' and girls' commercial schools have been housed therein. Every convenience is provided for and it would well pay each and every member of the general council to visit that institution and inspect it. This is the beginning of co-education in Atlanta; something that will prove beneficial to both sexes, and, I am satisfied, at a much less expense to the public.

"During the year there have been four new school buildings put up, one of eight grades, complete in every detail, in East Atlanta for $16,000, and one at Lucile avenue of six grades for about the same amount of money. One at Milton avenue with a basement and the first four grades, and one at Howell station of same size for $9,500 each. The remaining four grades can be added to these last two buildings at a cost of about $16,000 complete for the eight-grade schools. There has been erected in South Atlanta a negro school for the sum of $3,000, the difference in price of these buildings is accounted for in the fact that there is no plumbing in the South Atlanta school. So it will be seen that 1915 has not been backward in the matter of looking after the school children of this city, and I take it for granted that the year 1916 will mark many increased betterments to our public schools."

Of the Grady hospital he said that it was in a deplorable condition for the lack of funds to properly maintain it. There is not sufficient room or the patients, he said, and the nurses have no suitable quarters.

He said the construction department had done good work during the past year under the new chief, H. N. Hurt. He mentioned particularly the repaving of Alabama street with small granite cubes on a concrete base and said, "It was one of the best paved streets in the city."

Speaking of the park department, he said:

A Word for the Parks.

"Our park department has done some most splendid work. In fact, the amount and quality of the work done in our public parks during the past year has been a subject of comment for all who have visited them. There has been a sidewalk laid on the Cherokee avenue side of Grant park. This improvement should be pushed as rapidly as possible until the pavement reaches around the entire park.

"Another park for the benefit of the masses is Maddox park. This is deserving of consideration at the hands of the general council of 1916. We cannot do too much for our park system, for they are the breathing and recreation places of the masses of our people."

He praised the police, the fire and waterworks departments for the good work that they have done, and he concluded as follows:

"In conclusion allow me to express the hope that even with our limited finances that Atlanta will prosper and be benefited for the year 1916, and that each and everyone connected with the city government will give his best time and service in the interest of the people. Let me assure you that every effort upon that line will meet with my earnest co-operation."

PLAN CHALLENGES FOR MANY VOTERS

Recallers Expected to Take This Action Wednesday, Although No Formal Announcement Has Been Made.

HOW TO VOTE.

Because of the peculiar wording of the recall ballot, some voters may be confused in making up their tickets.

If you wish to keep the mayor or any one of the other police commissioners in office, you erase the line beginning with "for the recall of," etc. If you wish to put any of the commissioners out of office, you erase the line beginning "against the recall of," etc.

It is now believed that the recallers will challenge voters at the polls on election day. While no such statement has been given out officially, it is the general report that voters who it is believed have not paid their city taxes will be challenged.

The recallers have had the city tax books checked with the registration list and spy that they have about 3,000 voters who have registered and whose names do not appear on the city tax digest.

If a voter is challenged he can make affidavit before the election managers that he has paid his taxes and then go and vote. The recallers, it is understood, will keep a check on all such voters and demand of the election managers that such votes be thrown out. If this is not done, it is said, the recallers may later resort to the courts and contest the election on the ground of fraudulent voting.

Ballots Will Be Prepared.

Since the city attorney has given out the opinion that any kind of a ballot can be used in the election just so it contains the wording as prescribed by the charter amendment, voters, it is understood, will be provided with ballots already scratched either for or against the recall. This will be done because of the confusion that will arise over the peculiar wording of the ballot. The "fors" and "againsts" may cause some voters to vote just opposite the way they want to.

If the ballots are marked before going to the polls there will be the highest "vest-pocket" vote ever cast in the city. There has always been a "vest-pocket" vote composed of citizens who never let anybody know how they stand. This time the "vest-pocket" vote will be composed mainly of those who have come prepared.

Slogan of "Vote Early."

Both sides, it is understood, will sound the slogan of "vote early."

The polls will open at 7 o'clock and close at 7, giving a full twelve hours for the 12,533 voters to do their voting. It is estimated that between 10,500 and 11,000 votes will be polled. That will depend, however, on the weather. If the weather is fine the vote will be heavy, but if it is a cold, rainy day, it may fall to eight or nine thousand.

The election will be in charge of the regular managers appointed by council for all city elections.

The anti-recallers say that if there are any 3,000 voters registered who have not paid their taxes, the majority of them are with the recallers. They point out that on the recall petitions alone there were over five hundred voters who had not paid their city taxes, and claim that many recallers registered without paying their taxes just to sign the recall petitions.

"If the recallers resort to holding up voters at the polls," say the anti-recallers, "they will strike more of their own crowd than ours, and their purpose may be to delay voting as much as possible if they get their men to the polls first."

FINAL APPEAL MADE TO VOTERS OF CITY

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his absence was due to a severe cold which made it impossible for him to speak in a tone louder than a whisper. In the communication Mr. Candler declared that he is anxious for the recall of the men who, he says, have perpetrated a great wrong on the city unlawfully and wickedly designed. No line of defense has been written for their action, wrote Mr. Candler. The latter added that it has been said that all of the money interests are against the recall.

The author of the letter said that this is not true altogether, in that there are some men with money who want to remove the stain which has been put on Atlanta's name.

"The Tyranny of the Press" was announced as the subject of A. W. Crenshaw, who attacked the Atlanta newspapers with the declaration that they are distorting facts, poisoning their news columns and are themselves deserving of recall. "The newspapers cannot live without the support of the people," said Mr. Crenshaw, "and you men who read their distorted stories and biased articles are the men who are making it possible for them to live. We all believe in fair play. We believed in it as children and belief in it is in evidence in every business and profession. Yet today we are witnessing a contest into which one man was forced with his hands tied. This is the tyranny of the press in Atlanta today."

Atlanta was declared to be the best city in the United States "and with the help of the recallers it will remain so." He pleaded that those who are interested in the recall movement continue in their fight until they get the merits of their case before a fair jury.

Jackson and Eagan.

Introducing the next speaker, Mr. McCord said that the newspapers of Atlanta are centering their attacks on Marion Jackson and John J. Eagan. He told the members of the audience that these two men did not come in the campaign until it was well under way and that it would have been successful regardless of whether they gave it their support. The petitions had been signed when they became interested and, while their aid has been valuable there have been many others who have been in the movement long before they entered it. One of these, he said, is James Key, who was presented as the next speaker and who was tendered an ovation.

Mr. Key declared that the recallers have been in the right from the beginning and said that they are not ashamed to hold public meetings. The other crowd, he remarked, is afraid "to herd its gang together" for it is ashamed of its supporters. The meeting should have been held in the Auditorium, he said, the building which was built with the money of Atlanta people, but a Woodward appointee, D. Knight, vetoed the request of the recallers for the use of that building.

"Jim Woodward sees that he is a goner and he has nominated his successor," continued Mr. Key. "But the people are going to have a word to say in the selection of the man who is to occupy the mayor's chair when we finish with Mr. Woodward."

"The mutual admiration society of Atlanta, together with the mayor and his crowd, are continuing to talk of the jay-walkers and the enforcement of the laws against them. They are enforcing the laws against jay-walkers and they are using the members of the police department to do so when the city is overrun with thieves and thugs. Atlanta has had enough of Jim Woodward and Atlanta isn't willing for him to name the man who will succeed him."

Issue in Election.

The issue in this election, said Mr. Key, is whether the city shall be placed under the control of bad men and whether a chief of police shall be the victim of a "dirty frame-up."

With no one to send to the looker clubs, the chief went himself, Mr. Key declared, "and because he dared to obey the law and keep his oath of office, a majority of the police commission met at the home of Jim English, in whose front yard dances were put on during Harvest Festival week and about whose windows the roulette wheels turned."

In line with their policy of suppression and untruth, Mr. Key continued, the newspapers suppressed the news of this meeting at which plans were made "to lynch Beavers."

"Even a [illegible] editor knows that that trial was a farce," declared Mr. Key. "There was a conspiracy between the newspapers of Atlanta on the one side and the police board on the other. At the beginning of the recall movement the newspapers attempted to intimidate those who would sign the petition. One even went so far as to threaten to publish the names of the signers, knowing that no decent man wanted his name in an Atlanta newspaper. Failing in this, the papers worked on peace and harmony. They worked in side issues attacking Marion Jackson and John J. Eagan."

At this point the speaker took occasion to pay a warm tribute to Mr. Eagan with the declaration that when the panic struck Atlanta Mr. Eagan was the only large landholder to reduce his rents 20 per cent without being requested to do so.

The only charge, he said, that can be made against Marion Jackson is that he has given up his business to uplift the downfallen.

"The Journal and The Georgian," he said, "sent reporters to the trial to testify against Beavers, but The Constitution either got cold feet when the time came for its man to testify or it didn't have a man on the staff who would stand for such a thing. The Georgian really isn't a newspaper, and cannot be classed as such. It's like the thing that the cat brought in. People have asked us why we don't advertise in it. Why, that's easy to explain: if they saw it in The Georgian they would know the advertisement wasn't true."

Says Work Is Needed.

Only through work, declared Mr. Key, can this election be won, and he urged the voters to put forth their very best efforts between now and the night of January 6 in behalf of the movement to take the six men who "lynched Beavers" from public life.

Walter McElreath declared that civilization is built on the fact that men will defend each other and this trait differentiates men from animals. He expressed wonder as to who named the citizens' committee which is fighting the recall. The speaker said that an Atlanta paper recently declared that the trial of Beavers was a matter of trivial importance.

"Does Jim English own the city of Atlanta?" asked the speaker. "He has the Fourth National bank, but he doesn't own the city. Neither does Jim Woodward. The people of Atlanta demanded that the chief of police be employed on a civil service basis, and their demand was granted by the legislature. Then they demanded that they be given the right to discharge their officials when their officers betrayed their trust. This demand was granted, too. The discharge of Beavers means much to Atlanta. An invisible government is growing up. The recall is intended to put the government in the hands of the people.

"I could name the men who are seeking to control this invisible government," continued the speaker, "but I shall not do so. I am unwilling to give them the advertising. There are many men in Atlanta who would go to the place where Dives went to see their names in The Constitution tomorrow morning. So, I shan't gratify that ambition by calling their names. They are members, however, of the local mutual admiration society."

The issue, said Mr. McCord, should be borne in mind. It is solely that of whether a police commission shall be indorsed for lynching an officer for doing his duty. He asked that all in favor of the recall rise and practically all of the members of the audience sprang to their feet.

Calls For Jackson.

There were calls for Marion Jackson as Mr. McCord sought to adjourn the meeting, and Mr. Jackson responded with an address in which he declared that the most humble hod carrier would see his associates strike were he the victim of such a frame-up as was given Beavers. The same would be true were such treatment accorded to a brakeman or a ditch digger. The public, regardless of its views as to the advantages of strikes, would indorse such action were the workmen given such a raw deal, declared the speaker.

"When Beavers put Charlie Jones out of business, the campaign was started against him," he declared. "A press bureau was employed to send stories throughout the country to the effect that Atlanta was a hotbed of thievery and thuggery."

The speaker urged every member of the audience to read the charge of Judge Ben Hill to the grand jury. He declared that Judge Hill had said that Atlanta is composed of people who respect the law and want to see it observed. The speaker commended such a sentiment with the declaration that Judge Hill is a real jurist who would not employ an attorney to prosecute a man to be tried in his court.

"Captain English is an old man," said Mr. Jackson, "and I am sorry for him. If he had his life to live over he probably would not see his name on a recall ballot, for he doubtless would not do many things that he has done. In that case it would not be necessary for three newspapers to combine to protect the home of a rich man and say nothing when a stain was placed on the home of a poor man.

The speaker declared that a seed of anarchy which is being sown here by "Hearst's unspeakable sheet, The Georgian, the missionary to the south," must be stamped out.

Joe Hollowell was called on and spoke at considerable length. He said: "We are going to thrash out these seven degenerates. The three papers, the negro publication, Hearst's yellow hybrid Georgian, the weak-kneed Constitution and the brainless Journal, have said that the recall will hurt business. But we are going to carry this election.

"A Whitehall street merchant, a hypocritical teacher of a Bible class, told his preacher that 'we're going to get Beavers' and said that he would send 300 men to the hearing to testify against him. But this man whose name I shan't call, didn't have the guts to go to the hearing himself. He bragged that he had helped get Beavers after the lynching.

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MORTUARY

(All Funeral Notices Appear on Last Page.)

W. C. Parker, Madison.

Madison, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) W. C. Parker, who died here yesterday, was buried here this afternoon at 3 o'clock. His funeral was preached at his residence on Central avenue by Rev. Carl Minor, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city.

Mr. Parker was 75 years old at the time of his death and was the city clerk of Madison. He leaves a wife, one daughter, Miss Joy Parker, of this city, and four sons, Messrs. R. W. Parker of Madison, Paul Parker of Florida, Jake Parker of Virginia, and Wilmer Parker of Savannah.

He was a native of North Carolina and an old confederate veteran and a consistent member of the Baptist church.

Mrs. R. H. Daniel, Waycross.

Waycross, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) Today the remains of Mrs. R. H. Daniel, who died after a brief illness at Monticello, Fla., Sunday, were brought to Waycross. The funeral will be conducted tomorrow afternoon.

Before removing to Monticello several monthes ago Mrs. Daniel resided in Atlanta.

Besides her husband, she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Adams, and three sisters, Miss Myrtice Adams, Mrs. H. F. Taylor and Mrs. J. N. Taylor, all of Waycross. Her grandmother, Mrs. Charlotte Parker, also survives.

Mrs. Catherine Burch, Jackson.

Jackson, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) After a few days' illness, Mrs. Catherine Burch, aged 35, died at her home at Bibb Station, near Jackson, Wednesday morning.

She was a native of Saginaw, Mich., but had resided in Jackson for about two years. Mrs. Burch is survived by her husband, J. W. Burch; two small sons, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Herpel, of Saginaw, Mich., and two sisters, who reside in South Dakota.

The body was carried to the old home in Michigan for funeral and interment.

R. H. Alston, Austell, Ga.

Austell, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—Robert H. Alston, aged 68, died Monday afternoon after on week of illness.

Mr. Alston was an employee of the Western Union Telegraph company and had been so continuously for forty years. He moved to Austell from Atlanta ten years ago and had been coming into Atlanta daily to his duties.

Mr. Alston's ancestors were Huguenots, settling in South Carolina before that state was a federal state. He was a stanch member of the Baptist church. He is survived by one son, Thomas C. Alston, of Atlanta.

Miss Nita Luke, Americus.

Americus, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) The funeral of Miss Nita Luke, aged 19, who died this morning at the Americus hospital from typhoid fever contracted in an epidemic which visited the Georgia Normal and Industrial college at Milledgeville several weeks ago, will be held Tuesday at Leslie.

She was a bright student and her home was DeSoto, near Americus.

She is survived by parents, Mr. and Mrs. Agustus Luke, two sisters, Misses Gussie and Mae Luke.

Mrs. C. E. Woods, Pepperton.

Jackson, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) Stricken while attending to her household duties, Mrs. C. E. Woods, of Pepperton, passed away Saturday morning.

Heart trouble is supposed to have been the cause of death. Mrs. Woods is survived by her husband, four children, a brother, E. B. Kelley; two sisters, Mrs. Wise and Mrs. Osborne.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment was in the Pepperton cemetery.

W. H. Lowther, Waycross.

Waycross, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) Will H. Lowther, age 26, died late today after an illness of several months.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lowther, and several brothers and sisters.

The funeral will be held Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Eva Mumford.

Mrs. Eva Mumford, age 30, died at the residence of her brother, S. C. Glass, 302 Spring street. Mrs. Mumford is survived by one son, Leonard Mumford; one brother, S. C. Glass; one sister, Mrs. H. S. Kaylor, of Bostwick, Ga. The body will be removed to Covington, Ga.

ONE MAN IS KILLED WHEN HOTEL BURNS

Waterbury, Conn., January 4.—One man was killed, five others were injured and the lives of sixty guests endangered in a fire that destroyed the Hotel Connecticut in the heart of the business section early today. The identity of the dead man has not yet been established. The police say that they believe all the guests escaped from the building.

The fire was under control shortly after 1 o'clock. It was confined to the hotel. Six persons wre removed to a hospital.

AL JENNINGS, FAMOUS BANDIT, TO SPEAK HERE

Will Conduct Revival at the Baptist Tabernacle Soon.

Announcement was made yesterday that Al Jennings, former convict and train robber, whose conversion and spectacular race for governor of Oklahoma created country-wide interest, will conduct a revival campaign of three weeks here, beginning January 16.

Services will be held at the Tabernacle Baptist church daily and the members of that congregation are making extensive preparations for the coming of the well-known revivalist.

The son of a country judge, Al Jennings began his career as a lawyer and a respected citizen. The events of a single night turned him into an enemy of the law and he became a famous train robber, for whose head the government offered a fabulous sum of money.

Evading capture for years, he finally was nabbed and his imprisonment was featured by suffering because he refused to tell the warden how he managed to get a saw with which he was attempting to make his escape from prison.

He finally was pardoned by President Roosevelt and later was restored to citizenship by President Taft. He fought his way back to good standing and as a lawyer, an author, a lecturer and a candidate for governor. His career has been a spectacular one and has attracted a great deal of attention.

Jennings was converted at Glendale, a small suburb of Los Angeles, Cal., while paying a visit to that place on a lecture tour. His change of heart was recorded in the home of Rev. Dr. P. W. Tracy, a Baptist minister, and following his conversion he entered the evangelistic field.

He has been heard by large congregations at the cities at which he has appeared and the local church feels that it has been fortunate in securing him to have charge of the approaching revival campaign at this city.

Jennings is a graduate of the University of West Virginia and is said to be a pleasing speaker. He is a Virginian and has made a careful study of prison conditions, speaking to the inmates of Sing Sing a short time ago. He is in thorough accord with the policies of Warden Osborne.

An Austrian countess has contributed 5,000 cork legs to wounded soldiers. Jean de Reszke, the famous tenor, has given 50,000 cigarettes to the wounded allies.

WHEN YOU ARE 40 WHAT KILLS FIRST

Scientists Tell How Long You Should Live—Vitalitas Adds New Influence.

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Not many attain their fortieth year in perfect health. According to a noted scientist there are three classes of ailments that afflict people most at 40, and which lead to their death. First comes stomach disorders; second, liver or kidney troubles, and, third, nervous disorders.

Those of the first class, stomach troubles, die the soonest, averaging between 45 and 50. Those of the second class, liver or kidney disorders, live to be between 55 and 60, while those with nervous disorders fidget along to the age of 70 or better.

Stomach disorders are more common than the other ailments and are the most deadly. Man-made medicines may give temporary relief, but Nature supplies the real curative force to overcome them.

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RECALL NEWS

The reasons here set forth by Mr. Asa G. Candler for the recall of Mayor Woodward, Captain English and Messrs. Fain, Pace, King and Clark are the reasons that have taken hold of the people of Atlanta and that will result tomorrow in an overwhelming victory for the recall campaign.

Mr. Candler's letter, expressing his regret that illness prevented him from attending the recall meeting last night, reads as follows:

January 3, 1916.

Mr. H. Y. McCord, Chairman,

Atlanta, Ga.:

My Dear Mr. McCord:

It gives me unstinted regret that I am obliged to write this letter, advising that I find myself today almost without a voice. During all of last week I was suffering with a bad cold. It has culminated today in seriously interfering with my vocal organs, preventing me from talking except in a whisper.

I have, and am anxious, to render any assistance in my power to recall the men who perpetrated the wrong, not only against the chief of police, whom, without proper legal procedure, they removed from office, because, as I have reason to believe, for no other reason than that he, as chief of Atlanta's police, was determined to see that laws for preservation and protection of Atlanta's good name for virtue and sobriety, were executed.

It was the same element that prevented the organization of the police commission for months during last year, until they could get on the board enough men who would stand with them in their unlawful and wicked designs.

The voters of this city will not fail to observe that in all of their publications, whether in space paid for by the inch or in editorial references, not a line of defense of this conduct has been printed.

They have rather preferred to make the impression that the recall movement was an attack on one citizen rather than to remove from office a squad of men under control of some one personal influence in the board of police commissioners.

The anti-recall advocates would not have resorted to this unfair warfare if they had any reasonable arguments to use in defense of the action of the mayor and members of the police commission, who stand for the same policies that he practiced when on a previous occasion the men who are now against this recall united with those who are for it and recalled him.

It has been stated to me by men opposed to the recall that all the moneyed interests of Atlanta are against the recall. I reasonably suppose that this statement is being made by them generally. I thank God it is not entirely true. I believe that much money is being used against the recall. I know that much and noble effort is being put forth to make the recall succeed by as good and noble a constintuency as ever undertook to repel attacks on homes of righteousness and virtue.

Believing all of the above true, I shall not relax my efforts in behalf of the recall until January 5th has become a yesterday.

Very truly yours,

ASA G. CANDLER.

RECALL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE

Society

Official Program Announced For Missionary Meeting

The meetings here Wednesday and Thursday of the Council of National Association of Missionary Workers will assemble a distinguished body of women from seventeen different missionary boards of the different denominations from all sections of the country.

The meetings will hold in the North Avenue Presbyterian church, and the sessions are opened to all denominations and to all interested in the various departments of home mission work. Mrs. George Coleman, president of the council, arrives from Boston Wednesday. Miss Belle Bennett will visit friends here, and there will be a bright social side to the conference.

The Program.

The program for the two-day conference follows:

Wednesday, 10 a. m.

Reports—Recording secretary, corresponding secretary, treasurer.
Election of officers.
Address, "The Congress of Missions in Retrospect"—Mrs. D. E. Wald, New York city.
Devotional Service—Mrs. Charles F. Chase, Montclair, N. J.

Wednesday, 4 p. m.

Address, "Orientals on the Pacific Coast"—Mrs. May Leonard Woodruff, Allendale, New Jersey.
Devotional Service—Mrs. Charles F. Chase.

Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Music by students from the Martha Berry Mountain school.
Scripture and Prayer—Rev. R. O. Flinn, D.D.
Address, "How Women's Boards Cooperate"—Mrs. F. S. Bennett, Englewood, New Jersey.
"Present-Day Mormonism"—Mrs. George W. Coleman, Boston, Mass.

Thursday, 10 a. m.

Reports of standing committees.
Address, "The Work at Ports of Entry"—Rev. Joseph H. Perry, Ph. D., New York city.
Discussion led by Dr. Perry.
Devotional service.

HOME MISSIONS.

Thursday, 3 p. m.

Address, "Our Home Mission Textbooks, Their Scope and Value"—Miss E. B. Vermilye, New York city.
"Training Our Successors"—Mrs. E. C. Cronk, Columbia, S. C.
"The Present Indian Situation"—Rev. Henry Roe Cloud, Wichita, Kan.
Devotional service.

Thursday, 5-6 p. m.

Reception in the North Avenue church house. All are invited to meet the visiting delegates.

Thursday, 8 p. m.

Music by Agnes Scott Glee club.
Scripture and Prayer—Rev. Charles O. Dantel, D.D.
Address, "The Future of the Church Schools in Our Southern Highlands"—John C. Campbell, secretary Russell Sage Foundation, Asheville, N. C.
"Progressive Work Among the Negroes of the South"—Miss Belle H. Bennett, Richmond, Ky.

Supper Party.

Mr. W. Woods White, Jr., gave a delightful supper party New Year's evening, when his guests were a bright company of the college set—Misses Frances Winship, Catherine Giddings, Madeline Bellinger, Marie Stoddard and Messrs. Carrollton Cone, Irving Henderson, Brooks Mell, Glenn Evins, Joseph McCord.

The holiday decorations were a pretty incident of a happy occasion.

Malcolm-Johnson.

The marriage of Miss Eula Malcolm and Mr. Curtis Marion Johnson was an interesting event of December 28, taking place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ganaway Malcolm, in Eastville, Ga. Before the coming of the wedding party Mr. Henry Webb Malcolm sang "O Perfect Day." He was accompanied on the piano by Miss Ollie Robinson, of Atlanta, who also played the wedding march.

The ceremony took place in the drawing room, where the decorations were in white and green, the bridal party standing before an altar of palms and ferns.

Little Misses Agnes-Parrish and Lillian Thomas were flower girls and wore gowns of white satin. Rev. John W. McWhorten, of Watkinsville, Ga., officiated. The bride wore her tarveling suit of blue cloth, with hat to match, and carried white carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was given by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Johnson, at their handsome home in Eastville.

For Mrs. Clarke.

Mrs. Ewing Dean entertained at a small tea yesterday afternoon at her home on Juniper street for Mrs. Erin O'Neal Clarke, of Macon, who is visiting her.

Red carnations and roses in artistic arrangement decorated the apartments and a basket of carnations was the centerpiece of the prettily appointed tea table, and the candle shades, mints, cakes and ices were red.

Miss Josephine Stoney poured tea.

Mrs. Dean wore rose-colored crepe de chine. Mrs. Clarke was gowned in White charmeuse and chiffon and Mrs. Thomas D. Stewart, who assisted her daughter in entertaining, wore black and white olga crepe.

To Mr. Louis Mann.

Mr. Louis Mann, prominent in the theatrical world, will be the guest of the Temple Sisterhood on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the vestry of the Temple.

A special program has been arranged, including music by Mrs. Albert Ullman and Miss Louise Mayer, of Louisville, and Mr. Mann will speak.

Informal Dancing Party.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Blackman entertained at a delightful informal dancing party last night at Druid Hills Golf club in compliment to Miss Mildred Brown, of New Haven, Conn., who is the guest of Miss Ruth Blackman. Mrs. Blackman was gowned in gray charmeuse and silver. Miss Brown wore green taffeta and Miss Blackman wore pink tulle. There were seventy-five guests.

Beautiful Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kelly Evans entertained twenty-eight guests at dinner at the Piedmont Driving club last evening, the guests assembling at 8 o'clock. Dinner was served in the far end of the main dining room in an enclosure of palms, bay trees and blooming pink azaleas.

The circular table had artistic decorations in pink roses and narcissi, the flowers arranged in plateaux, one in the center of the table and others graduating in size and placed at intervals between silver candelabras, their tapers shaded in pink. The cakes and bonbons were in pink, and the place cards were dainty creations expressing French art.

Mrs. Evans wore a dinner gown in silver lace, with overdraperies of silver lace, the corsage embroidered in pearls and brilliants.

During dinner the orchestra presented a bright musical program, and after dinner dancing was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ellis entertain for Mr. and Mrs. Evans at dinner this evening, and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Murphy entertain for them at dinner Wednesday evening.

Mr. Evans goes to New York this week on a business trip. Mrs. Evans will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Ellis for the remainder of the week.

For House Party Guests.

Mrs. Frank Harrold is entertaining a house party this week at her home in Americus for her debutant sister, Miss Louise Walker, of Monroe, and in compliment to her visitors many bright entertainments have been planned. The guests who went to Americus Saturday include Miss Walker, of Monroe; Miss Dorothy Arkwright and Miss Helen McCarty, of Atlanta; Miss Helen McClain, of Greenfield, Ohio, and Miss Helen Barnes, of Macon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrold gave a delightful dancing party Saturday evening at their home, and among others entertaining will be Misses Mattie Lewis Dodson and Georgia Dena Dodson, who will entertain at a dance during the week, and a large dance will be given by a number of young men at the Country club.

Miss Walker and the other members of the party will be the week-end guests of Miss Helen Barnes, at her home in Macon. They will attend the leap year ball Friday evening, and will be the guests of Mr. John Ross, at the dinner-dance Saturday evening at Idlewild club.

Baskets to the Poor.

Mrs. Carston, president of the Grant Park Parent Teachers' association, wishes to thank the ladies who so generously contributed baskets to brighten and help make a Christmas for some of Atlanta's poor.

Also to thank Mrs. Link and Mrs. McWhorter, who used their automobiles to collect and distribute these baskets.

Miss Pendleton to Speak.

Miss Pendleton, president of Wellesley college, will speak at the North Avenue Presbyterian school at 11:30 o'clock on Tuesday morning. The patrons of the school are invited to hear her speak.

Roddy-Mattox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roddy announce the marriage of their daughter, Evelyn, to Mr. Joseph Brawner Mattox. The ceremony took place Thursday, December 23, at the Presbyterian ministry. Mr. and Mrs. Mattox are at home to their friends at 318 Washington street.

Woman's Missionary Union

The executive board of the Woman's Baptist Missionary Union of Georgia will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, January 4, in the Walton building, seventh floor, at 1:30 o'clock.

Bridge Luncheon.

Mrs. Guy Mitchell will entertain at bridge luncheon Thursday morning at home in compliment to Miss Esther Holleyman, a bride-elect. There will be eight guests.

Reese-Christian.

The marriage of Miss Grace Reese and Mr. H. H. Christian, of Atlanta, took place Sunday, January 2, at the home in Decatur of Rev. L. A. Ross, who officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian will be at home to their friends after February 1 on First avenue, Decatur.

Important Meeting.

Robert E. Lee chapter, U. D. C., College Park, will hold an important meeting this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. V. C. Mason. Mrs. Dalton Mitchell and Mrs. Robert Blackburn, of the Atlanta chapter, will be present. Mrs. Mitchell will give reminiscences of the days of the Ku Klux Klan. Mrs. Blackburn will entertain with readings, and Miss Marian Bradley, of the local chapter, will give a piano solo. A social half-hour will follow.

St. Luke's Benefit.

A popular menu at popular prices will be served at the Aragon Hotel cafe Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from noon to 3 o'clock, in the afternoon by the Women's Guild, of St. Luke's church.

Hyperion Club Dance.

The New Year was ushered in at the Hyperion club with an informal dance last Friday evening.

The honor guests of the occasion were Miss Beth Gayle, of Shreveport, La., the guest of Miss Mary Disbro; Miss Mildred Brown, of New Haven, Conn., the guest of Miss Ruth Blackman, and Miss Margaret Caldwell, of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Those dancing were: Miss Ruth Cain, Miss Essie Jordan, Miss Justine Henderson, Miss Louise Loomis, Miss Jennie Mae Calloway, Miss Vie Swanson, Miss Marie Oliver, Miss Lois Carroll, Miss Emily Garwood, Miss Lois Belk, Miss Eleanor Williams, Miss Lois Schenck, Miss Sadie Ballew, Miss Mary Tiller, Miss Anna Merritt, Miss Mary Disbro, Miss Beth Gayle, Miss Margaret Caldwell, Miss Mildred Brown, Miss Ruth Blackman, Miss Addie DeFoor, Miss E. L. Burdine, Miss Olive DeFoor, Miss Catherine Webster, Mr. J. B. Suttles, Mr. J. N. Moore, Mr. H. W. Cook, Mr. D. A. Tucker, Mr. Henry Collinsworth, Mr. Lonnie Stroble, Mr. R. A. Garner, Mr. L. P. Dalhuisa, Mr. T. Trussell, Mr. Owen Lively, Mr. B. M. Whiteley, Mr. L. L. Sasnett, Mr. J. R. Farabee, Mr. Ernest Allen, Mr. Arnold Binns, Mr. R. K. Cochran, Mr. James T. Miller, Mr. Horace E. Loomis, Mr. Steele Earnshaw, Mr. J. E. Cochran, Mr. Carl Marbut of Chattanooga, Tenn., Mr. C. N. Ragsdale, Mr. Cuyler Trussell, Dr. Fred Curtis, Mr. R. W. Spiers, Mr. Mercer Lee, Mr. Forrest Carroll, Mr. St. Clair, Mr. B. P. Franklin, Mr. Paul Turner, Mr. A. H. Brewster, Mr. John R. Jordan, Mr. Horrie Andrews and Mr. Cliff Brown.

The chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bean, Mrs. Mell, Mr. and Mrs. Myers Loveless, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Gary and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Squires.

Argentine Club's New Year Dance.

The holiday season among the younger dancing set was brought to a delightful close with the New Year dance held by the Argentine club Saturday evening.

The hall was elaborately decorated for the occasion with smilax and holly, interspersed with delicately shaded lights. The musical program was excellently rendered by an orchestra, and delicious punch was served during the evening.

About sixty couples were present, including: Miss Miriam Comer, Miss Louise King, Miss Beulah Dell Harrison, Miss Lorana Brotherton, Miss Nell Lowry Toy, Miss Martha Stevenson, Miss Eva Owen, Miss Thelma Thomas, Miss Evelyn Moore, Miss Katherine Muller, Miss Marie Oliver, Miss Maude Hammond, Miss Maude Rauch, Miss Ordra Thayer, Miss Annie Lois Coleman, Miss Martha Bloodworth, Miss Mae Hall, Miss Evelyn Vivian Clyburn, Miss Marion Wiggins, Miss Lucille Turner, Miss Mable Whitney, Miss Lucy Elder, Miss Sarah Benson, Miss Ethel Cameron, Miss Kate Moore, Miss Peachy Henley, Miss Gertrude Maurer, Miss Ruth Moore, Miss Lucille Mason and Miss Genevieve Coppa.

Mr. Arthur Burton Everett, Miss Holman Freeman Newborn, Mr. George C. Goodwin, Mr. Clarence W. Harrison, Mr. George S. Hastings, Mr. H. Colquitt Mitchell, Mr. C. M. Westbrook, Mr. A. C. Harrison, Mr. Fred McEachern, Mr. Ralph S. Cartledge, Mr. Warren H. Bradley, Mr. O. B. Garner, Mr. John T. Wrigley, Mr. W. Thomas Laird, Mr. Fred Lowe, Mr. Randall Griffin Satterwhite, Mr. Edgar Marion Morris, Dr. McIntosh M. Burns, Mr. W. R. Lipscomb, Mr. Judson Hines Lanier, Mr. McCartan Kollock, Mr. A. S. Johnston, Mr. John Sutton, Mr. Rowland R. Butler, Mr. John F. Watt, Mr. Stanley A. George, Mr. Arthur W. McDonald, Mr. Tye Carter Sanders, Mr. William L. Manning, Mr. Herman Cone, Mr. Lee Hoyt Williams, Mr. C. A. Stephenson, Mr. Tracy J. Beutell, Mr. George Ralph Barker, Mr. Allan W. Callahan, Mr. Paul Williams, Mr. Samuel S. Swilling, Mr. Erwin Brown, Mr. Herbert H. Gorman, Mr. Leon L. Barnett, Mr. J. M. Griffith, Mr. E. E. DeLoss, Mr. J. J. Colman, Mr. D. Rodalgues, Mr. Ben G. Willis, Mr. Habersham Matthews, Mr. Sam A. Carr, Mr. Warren W. Davis, Mr. William S. Williams, Mr. Norman Langford George and Mr. Edward R. Walker.

The chaperons of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Jarvis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Muller, Professor and Mrs. J. N. Gray Nesbit, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Goff and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wooley.

The first regular dance to be held by the Argentine club of the new year will be Friday evening of this week, January 7, and plans are being made to make this a very pleasant event.

Embroidery Club.

The 1913 Embroidery club gave their annual New Years party to the husbands and friends of the club members at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Armon Lewis, on Georgia avenue.

The house was artistically decorated for the occasion. The dining room was a bower of beauty, a miniature Christmas tree standing in the center of the room around which the table was built in a circle.

The plates surbered forty-five, the guests and club members including Miss Annie May Jenkins, Miss Foster, Miss Helen Lumpkin, Miss Sadie Sanders, Miss Pauline Lewis, Miss Elizabeth Kilpatrick, Mrs. Hattie Sewell Sanders, Dr. and Mrs. B. T. Beasley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold W. Eves, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Boien D. Gunter, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Huddleston, Dr. and Mrs. M. K. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kilpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. B. Kilpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Anson Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Lumpkin, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sellars, Mr. and Mrs. Sewell, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee Smith, Mr. G. C. Cash.

Mrs. Block Entertains.

Mrs. E. Bates Block was hostess yesterday at a beautiful luncheon in compliment to Mrs. Frances Fort Brown, of Chattanooga, the guest of Miss Sally Eugenia Brown.

The table decoration was in yellow. Lace mats were laid on the polished surface and the centerpiece was a silver loving cup of yellow roses. Silver compotes held candles, which were miniatures of vegetables, and pretty detail of color was in yellow.

Mrs. Block was gowned in gray chiffon, its trimming of moleskin. Mrs. Brown wore a becoming costume in brown.

The guests were Mrs. Brown, Miss Sally Brown, Mrs. Robert L. Lowry, Mrs. Hugh Inman, Mrs. William D. Grant, Mrs. Hunter Cooper, Mrs. Francis H. Orme, Mrs. E. L. Connally, Mrs. Estelle Garrett Baker, Mrs. George M. Brown and Mrs. Warner Martin.

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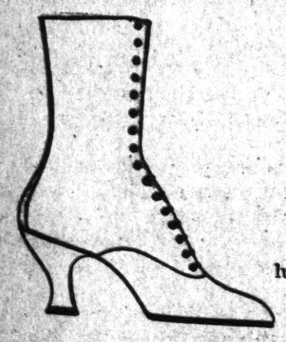

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NEW TRAFFIC LAWS ARE WORKING WELL, SAYS POLICE CHIEF

According to Chief of Police W. M. Mayo, Atlanta's new traffic laws are working well and have made of this city one of the best regulated traffic towns in the entire south.

Chief Mayo stated that he took a ride up town on his car Monday morning just for the purpose of seeing how the traffic laws are working and to see how the men are enforcing them.

"I took a look down Whitehall street," said the chief, "and believe me, the street sure did look good. There was not a single pedestrian crossing between the corners and there were no cars parked on the sides of the streets."

HOLD MEETING TODAY TO PLAN ONE-DAY FAIR

The promoters and committeemen of the DeKalb County One-Day fair will meet at the courthouse in Decatur today at 10 o'clock. The meeting will be presided over by John F. Green, of the farm demonstration committee of the Decatur board of trade, which had the supervision of the fair last year. Mr. Green succeeds C. D. McKinney, who this year will head the civic planning committee of the board.

GOOD WEATHER TODAY, PROMISES FORECASTER

Having enjoyed a delightful day yesterday, Atlanta is promised a continuation of good weather today, the forecaster predicting that after the early morning hours this city will have excellent weather. The outlook is for a temperature as low as 34 early Tuesday morning with a slight frost, but immediately after Sol assumes his duties the chill will disappear.

Indications are that there will be but little wind Tuesday and by the middle of the day the mercury is expected to attain a height of 55 degrees, which was the limit reached Monday during the warmest part of the day. In fact, the weather bureau expects that Atlanta weather Tuesday will be but little different from that of Monday.

Monday was such a day as tempted the tired business man. An office, a store and a plant held mighty few attractions as the warm sunshine and the absence of wind brought reminders of the pleasures of motoring, driving and other out-of-door pursuits.

ROBBERS MAKE RAID ON CHICAGO HOSPITAL

Chicago, January 3.—Two men entered the offices of St. Luke's hospital this afternoon, pointed revolvers at Miss Mary Tobin, the cashier, and escaped with a tin box containing $8,000. It was pay day at the institution and the offices were crowded with nurses and other employees receiving their salary. The robbers made the thirty nurses in the room hold up their hands while they seized the cash and escaped in an automobile.

DECATUR TRADE BOARD ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Decatur board of trade has elected the following officers for the ensuing year.

A. R. Almond, president; F. T. Hopkins, first vice president; Wiley S. Analey, second vice president; George R. Jones, third vice president. The following directors were named: A. S. Turner, Julius J. Scott and Walker White. The president and three vice presidents also serve as directors. O. H. Blount was elected treasurer.

The board expects to wage an extensive campaign during the year for the development of Decatur and DeKalb county.

CLOTH TO BE RUSHED TO NEEDY BELGIANS

New York, January 3.—The commission for relief in Belgium announced tonight that it had contracted for $150,000 worth of cloth to be rushed to Belgium on a steamer sailing this week. The destitute men, women and children in Belgium and northern France are reported suffering from lack of proper clothing and underwear. The cloth, which was purchased out of the $300,000 donated to the commission last week by the Rockefeller Foundation will be used in making clothing and underwear.

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It is a treat they never grow tired of, one that can be served in so many attractive ways, it is always refreshing and new.

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is a delight to any table and it can be easily and quickly prepared. For dances, receptions and dainty lunches it is an ideal refreshment. Order from your grocer today—a 15c package is enough for four pints.

Save the United Profit Sharing Coupons in every package. Good for valuable premiums.

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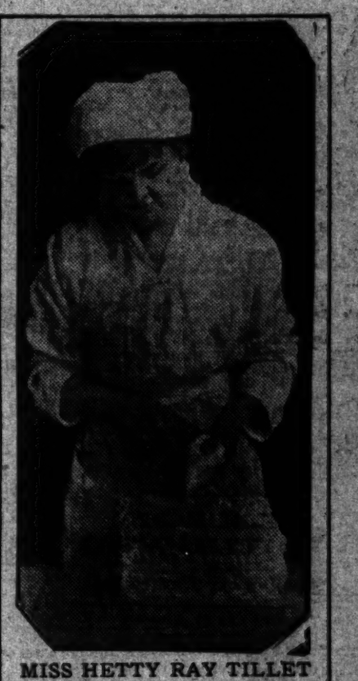
Every afternoon from January 10 through January 14, at



MISS HETTY RAY TILLET

Professional assistant to Mrs. Wilson. Miss Tillett, who is herself an expert cook and demonstrator, has been personally trained by Mrs. Wilson, and is the most brilliant pupil of this famous teacher. She is traveling with the Wilson company and assists at every lecture.

TAFT HALL (City Auditorium) 3 P. M.

Mrs. Betty Wilson

The South's great "Wonder Cook," will have entire charge. She will deliver the lectures and conduct the demonstrations.

A Royal good time is promised you. A wonderful opportunity is offered you.

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TAFT HALL—Jan. 10 to 14—3 P. M.

SOCIAL ITEMS

Mrs. J. Carter left yesterday for a visit in Jacksonville, Fla.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hill returned Sunday from LaGrange.

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Mrs. George C. Walters returned yesterday from Richmond, Va.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Hill are at home at the Hampton Court apartments.

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Mrs. J. W. Conway has returned from a week's visit in Scottsboro, Ala.

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Dr. and Mrs. Alex W. Stirling and the Misses Stirling have closed their home at East Lake for the winter months, and are in the city.

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Miss Dolores Bellinger, who spent the fall months at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, and visited friends in Alabama during the holidays, arrived in the city Sunday and is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Bellinger.

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Dr. Homer Black returned yesterday to the University of Georgia.

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Mr. W. Alfred Barrington, of New York, who spent part of last winter in Atlanta, is in the city.

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Mr. Van Astor Batchelor returned yesterday from North Carolina, where he spent the holidays.

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Mr. Guy Melvin Long, Jr., left yesterday for Florida, where his school holds during midwinter, the fall and spring months being spent in Kentucky.

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Miss Dodo White has returned to Sophie Newcomb college, New Orleans.

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Mrs. Robert C. Alston will entertain her bridge club today.

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Mr. W. Woods White, Jr., will return this week to Washington and Lee.

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Mrs. Frances Fort Brown, who has been visiting Miss Sally Eugenia Brown, returned yesterday to Chattanooga.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Avery have returned from the north.

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Judge and Mrs. William Bailey Lamar, who have spent the holidays in Atlanta, left yesterday for Washington, where they will be at the "Connecticutt" for the winter. They will return to Atlanta for opera week.

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Miss Blanch Grosbec Loveridge, dean of the Woman's college, of Montgomery, and Miss Frances K. Gooch, of Agnes Scott, are in the city to attend the various conferences of college women taking place during the visit of Miss Ellen F. Pendleton, president of Wellesley college.

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Miss Isabell Tyson returned to her home in Knoxville Sunday afternoon, after a visit to Miss Esther Smith.

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Mrs. W. P. Nicolson and Miss Carolyn Nicolson left yesterday for New York to spend several months.

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Mrs. Erin O'Neal Clarke, of Macon, is the guest of Mrs. Ewing Dean.

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Mr. Louis Wellhouse, Jr., returned yesterday to Riverside academy, Gainesville.

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Miss May Bickers, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bickers, in Jackson, Ga., since her return from an eighteen months' residence in Bakersfield, Cal., spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Morrison. She will return to California in February.

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Mr. W. H. Chisaw, of Canada, and Mr. J. Ally Shaw, of Belfast, Ireland, members of the British aviation service, have been spending several days in the city en route to England after visiting the Wright school of aviation in Augusta.

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Mr. Henry Powers Elliott, who spent the holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. Henry Powers, at the Piedmont, returned Sunday to Harvard.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bialock and Mrs. C. M. Kiene returned yesterday from Palm Beach.

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Dr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Hinman and Master Thomas Hinman have returned from Pelham, where they spent the holidays.

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Miss Josephine Mobley returned Sunday night from New York.

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Misses Anne and Marjorie Stringfellow, who spent the holidays in Augusta with their aunt, Mrs. Cornelius Garrett, returned home Sunday.

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Mrs. Cam Dorsey and children returned Saturday from Savannah.

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Mr. Roger Gardien will return today to the Union Theological seminary in Columbia, S. C.

MEETINGS

The 1913 Embroidery club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Arnold W. Eves at her home on Ormond street.

The Atlanta Woman's Suffrage league will hold an interesting and important meeting Wednesday afternoon, January 5, at 3:30 o'clock, at the Aragon hotel. A full attendance is desired. The annual election of officers will take place, a new constitution and by-laws will be acted on and important announcements of plans for the New Year's work will be made.

The Woman's Auxiliary to Wesley Memorial hospital will hold a regular quarterly meeting in the hospital on Wednesday, January 5, at 10:30 a. m.

ITCHING RINGWORM ALL OVER FACE

Kept Spreading. So Bad Could Not Sleep at Night. Itched and Burned. Ashamed to Go Anywhere.

HEALED BY CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT

"Ringworm first began on my face and spread to my neck and it got almost all over my face. It first came out in one little bump and kept spreading, and it got so bad I could not sleep at night. The ringworms were large and as thick as they could be and the skin was red and inflamed. They itched and burned and the itching was so bad that I irritated my face by scratching. I was ashamed to go anywhere.

"A friend asked me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. By the time one box of Ointment and one cake of Soap were gone, I was healed." (Signed) Mrs Sallie Harwood, Evensville, Tenn., July 16, 1915.

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ATLANTA WOMEN EXPRESS INTEREST IN CONSTITUTION COOKING SCHOOL

Mrs. Betty Wilson as she will teach cooking in the Auditorium next week in a perfectly equipped kitchen.

Mrs. P. J. McGovern, president of the Atlanta Woman's club, in behalf of the club's committee looking to the making of "good cooks," has requested The Constitution to have an adequate number of seats provided for the colored cooks who may desire to attend the cooking school lectures which begin in the Auditorium Monday afternoon, January 10, at 3 o'clock.

The seats will be provided for the colored cooks, the request for seats for them having been made by many Atlanta housekeepers, individually, as well as by Mrs. McGovern, representing Atlanta's largest organization of women.

At the last meeting of the City Federation of Women's Clubs a committee of women was appointed to look into the matter of conserving the good cook and providing means to, and in making good cooks through classes in cooking and domestic science.

On November 19 The Constitution carried an article on the editorial page urging the conservation of the "negro cooks" as they are of the soth's best assets.

Widespread Approval.

There was a general approval of the article not only in the press, generally, but in the magazines—the heads of the institutions for the training of the negroes, and used the artcile.

The cooking school has come, it would seem, in the "nick-o'-time," for women generally are pleading for more knowledge of cooking on the part of housekeepers and a practical movement to help the negro women become more efficient in cooking.

The cooking classes, which will be given next week by Mrs. Bettie Wilson, of Nashville, the most efficient cullinary artist in the south, will hold in the Auditorium. A temporary kitchen will be established there with all modern conveniences and equipment. The classes will cover every department of the cullinary art from bread—the very staff of life—to the last message on how to emboss a cake.

Sea-Food Recipes.

Recipes for the best soups will be demonstrated, and the way to prepare sea-foods.

The mysteries of a good roast will be solved, and the art of cooking game taught.

The economy of salad and the piquancy of sauce for the pudding, all will be taught by Mrs. Wilson.

LEADER OF HOBOES FINDS MISSING BOY AND VISITS CHIEF

"This world's just a great old place. The people are fine and if they only knew how each other lived there would be one great jubilee in earth," said Jeff Davis King, of the hoboes, to a Constitution reporter last night.

Primarily Jeff came to Atlanta to return to his home a runaway boy from Cleveland. The lad, Russell Jones, was found by the veteran road man just as he was leaving the post-office Monday afternoon after having mailed a letter.

"I'm sure glad I found the kid," said Jeff, "and I'm going to take him home if I find out his people can't come after him. I'll take him home on the seats, though, and not on the rods like the little 'bo' came down here."

Jeff called on Chief of Police W. M. Mayo Monday morning and requested the chief to put into practice a plan whereby all men arrested for vagrancy will be given a chance. Instead of prosecuting them as soon as they are arrested Jeff wants the chief to let them give the station sergeant a reference to whom a wire can be sent. If the reference proves to be all right and tells the Atlanta police department so then they can be turned loose on their way.

"If you spent just 35 or 50 cents on a telegram," says Jeff, "it may keep from making a criminal out of a fellow and will in all probability save the city and state a great deal of money."

MRS. CRAWLEY'S SCHOOL OPENS IN NEW QUARTERS

Notwithstanding the loss of her home by fire Mrs. C. D. Crawley has opened her school in its new quarters at Professor Kell's residence, 58 Howell place, with full attendance of its former pupils and a number of new ones.

SAVING IN INTEREST BY N., C. & ST. L. ROAD

Nashville, Tenn., January 3.—At a special meeting today directors of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway reduced interest charges on an issue of $7,000,000 bonds of the Paducah and Illinois railroad, a link just completed to connect the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis with the Burlington at Metropolis. The bonds had been issued on a 5 per cent basis, but it was found they could be sold at a 4½ rate. Half the issue has been disposed of to a Chicago firm on the new basis.

AMERICAN MARINES SOON TO LEAVE HAITI

Washington, January 3.—Navy officials hope soon to begin withdrawing the marines on duty in Haiti. The transport Prairie, which left Philadelphia for Haiti today, probably will remain in southern waters until the withdrawal begins. All recent reports, it was stated today, have indicated that tranquility had been re-established in the island under the temporary arrangement for enforcing provisions of the pending treaty for an American protectorate over the republic.

Cooper and Hitchens Case.

Washington, January 3.—(Special.)—Attorney John K. Cooper, of Macon, was prevented by illness from appearing in United States supreme court today in the case of Robert Hitchens, convicted of murder in Wilkes county. Instead of pleading pauperism, the client has put up the money to have his brief printed, as is required by the court.

College Women Entertain Wellesley College President

The brief visit in Atlanta of Miss Ellen Fitz Pendleton, president of Wellesley, is being made the occasion for handsome entertainment in compliment to the distinguished visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Woods White (Mrs. White is an alumnae of Wellesley) gave a beautiful dinner last night at their home, inviting to meet Miss Pendleton, Dr. F. H. Gaines, president of Agnes Scott college, and Mrs. Gaines; Bishop W. A. Candler, chancellor of

MISS ELLEN F. PENDLETON.

Emory university, and Mrs. Candler; Miss Hopkins, dean of Agnes Scott; Miss Martha Berry, president of the Martha Berry school for Mountain Boys and Girls; Mr. L. D. Scott, president of Washington seminary, and Mrs. Scott; Miss Lucy Harrison, Miss Lula Woods White.

The table centerpiece was a basket of shell pink carnations, the handle tied with Wellesley blue tulle, and the silver candlesticks, holding pink candles, were tied with tulle in the same rich dark blue. Pink candy baskets held the fruit punch, which was the first course of an elegant menu, and pink baskets held the bonbons. The place cards in Wellesley blue bore the Wellesley cheer, and the bar of notes to which it is set, and the salad course service was in the same blue, with a design in pink.

The reception rooms had tasteful decoration in the house palms and clusters of pink carnations.

Mrs. White wore a becoming gown of cream taffeta, veiled with Wellesley blue net, the panning draperies caught with pink rosebuds. Miss Lula White was charming in white taffeta with tunic of cerise tulle embroidered in crystals.

In the afternoon Miss Pendleton was guest of honor at a reception given at Washington seminary by the Georgia branch of the Association of College Women and the Wellesley Club of Atlanta.

The reception followed upon a meeting of the Association of College Women, when Miss McKinney, of Agnes Scott college, read an interesting paper.

Miss Pendleton made an informal address on the work of preparatory schools, which was valuable and delightful, and the company was then presented to her.

Miss Pendleton and the presidents of the two hostess organizations, Miss Elva McKee, of Wellesley club, and Miss Cleveland Zahner, of the college

PROSPERITY AHEAD, SAYS WM. J. HARRIS

Rome, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—William J. Harris of Cedartown, director of the census bureau, is spending a few days in Rome as the guest of his brother, Professor J. C. Harris. Mr. Harris declares that his study of the situation has led him to believe that 1916 will be a most prosperous year, and he is also enthusiastic over the prospects for a successful democracy.

LITTLE DECATUR GIRL IS BURNED TO DEATH

While Playing Around Fire in Vacant Lot 6-Year-Old Louise Morgan Catches Fire.

Decatur, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) Louise, the little 6-year-old daughter of Mr. nad Mrs. V. S. Morgan, was burned to death in a vacant lot at Ponce de Leon place this morning at 11 o'block.

Her dress caught on fire and she was so badly burned before the fire was extinguished that she died about two hours later. A number of children were with her at the time the accident occurred.

Mr. Morgan, the father of the little girl, is clerk in the county commissioner's office and is one of the county's most valued officials.

JACKSON RIFLES TO BE INSPECTED JANUARY 17

Jackson, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) The Jackson Rifles, Company A, Second infantry, will be inspected this year on Monday, January 17. In preparation for that occasion the men are now hard at work, special drills being held every few nights.

The company has always taken high rank among the military organizations of the state, and it is thought will be able to pass the usual good inspection this year. An election will be ordered soon to fill some vacancies in the ranks of the commissioned officers.

LITTLETON INAUGURATED AUGUSTA MAYOR MONDAY

Augusta, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) At the meeting of council at noon today, Dr. James R. Littleton was inaugurated mayor in the stead of Mayor Linwood C. Hayne, retiring.

BAPTIST NURSES WILL SEE "DAMAGED GOODS"

Interest in "Damaged Goods," the great sociological picture being shown at the Lyric all this week is increasing to such an extent that various organizations are attending the theater in a body. Through the influence of John M. Green, trustee of the Georgia Baptist Home, the nurses of the home have been extended the courtesies of the theater and will see the picture.

The film is of powerful import and drives home with great intensity the effect of sin.

Ministers and church folk generally are profiting by the opportunity of the great moral lesson, "Damaged Goods," drives home. L. R. Greathouse, manager of the picture, Monday invited the members of the Evangelical Ministers' association to view the film to see personally whether any adverse criticism is justified. It is expected that many of the ministers will take advantage of the opportunity to see the picture.

PROHIS WILL START FIGHT IN CONGRESS

Washington, January 3.—The annual fight in congress for nation-wide prohibition will be renewed tomorrow when Representative Webb, of North Carolina, will reintroduce his resolution for a prohibition constitutional amendment. The resolution will be referred to the judiciary committee, of which Mr. Webb is chairman.

Rome Newsies Feasted.

Rome, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—Newsboys and paper carriers in Rome enjoyed a New York dinner as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lindsey, manager of a local hotel here. First Commissioner W. M. Gammon presided as toastmaster, and a number of well-known citizens made addresses.

Woodland Election.

Woodand, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) The regular municipal election was held here today and a new mayor and council were elected, none of the old ones being candidates for re-election. W. B. Jordan was elected mayor with very little opposition and the following councilmen won out: B. A. Smith, J. H. Woodall, O. M. Daniel, C. W. Matthews and H. H. Williams.

The new mayor and council just elected ran upon the platform of electric lights for Woodland, and there is little doubt but that lights will be installed in the near future.

Urges Appointment of Judge H. M. Holden to Supreme Court Bench

Athens, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—The Athens Daily Banner will Tuesday morning urge the suggestion of Judge Horace M. Holden, of this place, for the appointment by the president to the place made vacant by the death of Justice Joseph R. Lamar.

It is suggested that he is fitted for the place, has been a member of the Georgia supreme court, is still young and vigorous, and comes from the section of the south represented in the recognition to the late Justice Lamar.

Dr. L. L. Zammenhof, the author of Esperanto, and his wife, who had been missing for several months, are reported safe and well at Warsaw.

Swift & Co.'s sales of Beef in Atlanta for the week ending Saturday, January 1, averaged 10.23 cents per pound.—(Adv.)

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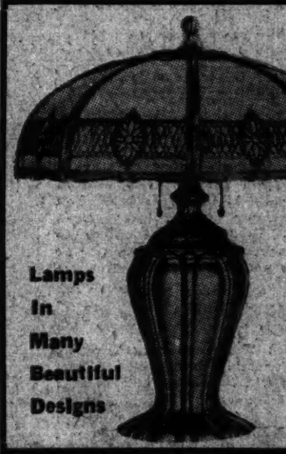

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We have a few very attractive designs left over from the holiday sale of these lamps, which we are offering at greatly reduced prices.

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The New 1916 Suits and Dresses

Forward

It is one thing to plan and another thing to accomplish. The train of thought that passes through the mind of the dreamer is an idle fancy and seldom eventuates.

Only in performance is there fulfillment! Action is necessary to attain the desired results of planning!

This store is never quiescent. It plans and then, without loss of time, acts for the betterment of its service and its stocks.

There are no dreamers here, save in so far as you may call planning dreaming.

If we yield to the temptation to "let well enough alone" we must expect to sink deeper into the backward rut.

Brand-new, decidedly charming, and shown for the first time today.

There are many new features that will greatly please you in the fashion side of these smart garments, from which women are already choosing.

New fabrics, too, and colors that are different from those prevailing for the past few months.

For now and early spring wear there are Suits of fine wool materials, velours, vigeraux, gabardines, serges, fancy and checked worsteds. Silks: gros de londres, poplins and novelties.

The trimmings are varied and novel. Some have smart leather trimmings, some Ottoman silks, in contrasting colors, others are embroidered in rich Oriental tones.

White Suits, too, have a conspicuous place in this showing—and are very tempting to those who are buying apparel for Palm Beach and other winter resorts.

Prices range from $19.50 to $90.00.

Dresses and Gowns—Delightful

One of the most charming early season showings we have ever had.

New, long-waist effects, and side fullness; and many straight, panel-like front and back developments.

Full, pocket side draperies are one of the prevailing features in chic models. Black-and-gold and black-and-silver are much in evidence, especially in afternoon dresses.

Exquisite little Frocks of tulle, net and chiffon have flounce after flounce of embroidered net, in black-and-gold or black-and-silver. Evening gowns that are poems of loveliness are created of tulle, lustrous satins with trimmings as varied as they are charming.

One adorable copy of a Hermane model—a street dress—is of Pussy Willow taffeta in novelty stripe, old blue and field mouse gray, combined with net and chiffon; price $45.

One exquisite little Dance Frock is of Pocahontas blue tulle, richly embroidered with threads of ivory white, over apricot tulle, with foundation of cloth of silver; an effective trimming of iridescent sequins, picot edged ribbon and roses; price $50.

Other Dresses are Priced at $50.00, $59.50 and $60.00.

May we show them to you today?

(Fourth Floor.)

CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK

Acts like dynamite on a sluggish liver and you lose a day's work.

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when 50 cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and cannot salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone, because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a days' work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more billiousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you.

REVENUE AGENT INTENDS TO "CLEAN UP" FLORIDA

Gantt and Deputies Intend to Wage War on Law-Breakers.

There is fear and trembling among the distillers and dope dealers of Florida. Revenue Agent D. J. Gantt leaving Atlanta with six deputies Sunday night to wage a vigorous campaign against the law breakers of the state named.

Agent Gantt has met with a great deal of success in his efforts against the illicit distillers of Georgia, and those who deal in opiates and, and he is determined to put forth just as strenuous efforts against them in the state of Florida. His district comprises the two states and he has been preparing for the trip to Florida for the past several days.

Many stills have been destroyed in this state during the past few months, and Mr. Gantt has been commended upon his successful efforts against law breakers. He is planning to spend about ten days in Florida, and will visit all sections of the state.

Pine-Tar and Honey Check and Soothe Coughs and Colds

The healing effects of their combined qualities is convincing. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is an ideal cold remedy.

If you wish an antiseptic, protecting, healing and soothing cold-treatment, you will find it in this merited remedy—Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey.

Medicines are among the most powerful agents we possess in dealing with colds. By using Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey you employ a remedy which is two-fold in effectiveness—one quality killing the germs, the other soothing the inflamed parts. By thus aiding nature the regular functions of the parts affected are used to assist in building up tissues rather than fighting the disease germs.

Its constantly increasing sales along with grateful and unsolicited testimonials show its merits as a cold remedy. Remember that the time to overcome a cold is in its beginning. The most sensible plan is to have a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey on hand. 25c.

DONEHOO'S $75 FUNERAL

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Donehoo takes personal pride in seeing that nothing is overlooked to make his $75 funerals perfect. His modern equipment and long experience make him able to serve you at a greatly reduced price. "The day of exorbitant priced funerals is over," says Donehoo. "We want the public to know that we can give them unexcelled, high-class service at an extremely low rate. There is nothing cheap about these funerals."

READ THESE ITEMS—25 IN ALL

Donehoo's $75 Funeral includes: Handsome casket, white, gray or black cloth with silver or black handles and name plate (large silver or gold crucifix when desired), outside box; transferring remains from hospital or home; embalming by licensed experts; shaving or hair dressing; bathing; dressing; underwear; hose; elegant burial robe; professional services; funeral notice in newspaper; burial or shipping permit; hat or arm crepe; pallbearers' gloves. Also use of door crepe, floor rugs, slumber couch, candles, candelabra, chairs, use of chapel, handsome hearse. Lady attendant when desired.

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GOLDEN STATE

Forget Europe—See California

Everything For the Recall Is a Blackball Against Atlanta.

In Ringing Charge, Judge Hill Defends Good Name of City

Repudiates Recent Slanders and Declares No City in World Is Cleaner Nor Has Better Citizens.

Asserting that "no city in the world was cleaner, and that no city had more law-abiding citizens," Judge Ben Hill, in his charge to the January grand jury Monday morning, made indignant repudiation of the recent attacks on the good name of the city of Atlanta.

It will be recalled that Judge Hill was solicitor general of this circuit when, nearly thirty years ago, every gambling house in the city was closed by the administration which was headed by Captain James W. English as mayor. It developed upon Mr. Hill, as solicitor general, to prosecute those who attempted to defy the policy of the administration, and so effectively did he do so that there has never been an open gambling house of any kind in Atlanta since that date.

The earnestness with which Judge Hill delivered his protest against the recent charges that Atlanta is a hotbed of vice, corruption and venality, showed clearly that he felt deeply the injustice of these attacks on the city.

Slanders Against Atlanta.

The charge was, in part, as follows:

"Two slanders have been uttered against Atlanta and against the south that I wish to deny. It has been said that Atlanta is one of the most lawless cities in the south. This is not true. It has been said that Atlanta has more homicides than the British empire. Stories that have been concocted to that effect contain no semblance of truth.

"It is true that there is crime in Atlanta, but we have elements to contend with here that are unique to this city. Three-fourths of crime in Atlanta is done by negroes. This is no reflection on the negro race, but where two races are living in the same community and one is highly superior to the other, friction is bound to occur. The lower race, inferior in intelligence and understanding, will pull down the record of the higher race and make such a community's crime average higher.

"I have lived here a long time, and I have held many offices through the gift of the people which have put me in a position to understand conditions in Atlanta and know what I am talking about. And I want to say that no city in the world is cleaner, no where do citizens adhere closer to the law and do all in their power to help its enforcement and keep the city on a high plane.

"Personal views as to the wisdom of segregation and like problems should not be allowed to sway one's duty to the law, nor should private opinions enter into one's duty where enforcement of the prohibition law is concerned.

"Where is there a city that has had no open gambling for thirty years? There has been no open gambling in Atlanta in that time. The city rose thirty years ago against it, and it was banished, never to return.

"The liquor problem has been called worse than it really is. It is true that this city has not enforced the law as strictly as it should, but the prohibition law has not been disregarded in Atlanta as it has in other cities in the state."

Tribute to Forsyth.

Concluding his charge, Judge Hill paid a high tribute to Deputy Sheriff A. B. Forsyth, who died in the performance of his duty a short time ago. The jurist declared that the officer died as a great man should die, and said that in his death the court has lost a faithful servant.

R. J. Guinn was chosen as foreman of the grand jury, whose other members are: D. N. McCullough, W. E. Dunn, Norman C. Miller, R. A. Hemphill, R. N. Fickett, Charles Austin, S. W. Bacon, Charles G. Turner, T. P. Moore, Oscar Elsas, H. D. Hynds, Will V. Zimmer, W. B. Disbro, G. F. Turner, John Thomas Riddell, B. F. Bundett, J. D. Daniel, J. T. Davis, T. R. Sawtell, E. S. Norris and Stewart D. Jones.

The jurors were busy during the afternoon, true bills being returned in a number of cases.

Ninety-Seven Athletic Badges Awarded School Children by Constitution

The Constitution Monday awarded a total of ninety-seven athletic pins to boys and girls throughout the state who have successfully competed for them recently. The contestants won the pins in meets held at various times under the auspices of the University of Georgia and The Constitution.

The winners of the pins at the various schools are:

Fifty-five pupils of the Berry school of Mount Berry, Ga., were successful in their meet held October 30. Seventy-eight pupils contested for the pins, the winners were: R. Clarke, William Dobson, John Ferguson, Addis Goodman, Homer Hardman, Farris Hill, John Meroney, Birkie Rimefelt, Lester Seay, Carl Smith, Dan Welchel, Roy Wheeler, Watkins Wiggins, Claud Caler, Curtis Carden, Marion Case, Charles Christopher, Jesse Clarke, Dossie Clinkscales, Blake Cofer, Robert Colquitt, Charles Cooper, Laurie Cunningham, Claud Daniel, Jean Day, Henry Derden, Forrest Durham, Payton Gass, Raymond Grogan, Curtis Groom, Quillian Hamby, Dessie Huff, Kenneth Johnson, Homer Jones, Charles McEntire, Eugene McMillian, Horace Massey, Dois Nation, Willie Nipper, Coke Parks, Alvis Pasley, Pink Puryear, John Saunders, Willis Skelton, James Stover, George W. Swindle, Shirley Timmon, Brittie Walker, Ernest Welden, Homer Welchel, Omri Webb, Williams Wheat and Willie Zimmerman.

Thirteen contestants were successful in the Canon institute met held on November 12. Thirty-five contested. The pin winners were Joe Bagwell, J. E. Bond, Bill H. Flemming, Ruby Haley, Sara Fowler, Essie Strickland, Paul Burton, John N. Bagwell, S. P. Bond, Lewis Dawkins, T. O. Cawthen, Sally Claud Duncan, Sarah Jardan.

The Waycross high school meet, which was held on December 14, returned eight successful contestants out of thirty-nine contesting. The winners, to whom pins have been sent, are Ward Colley, Ralph Boykin, Jack Hopkins, Eddie Lee Everson, Talise Jones, Carrie Andrews, Halford Dupree and Alford Pittman.

Thirty-two pupils contested for the pins in the contest held at Fort Valley on December 10. Of these ten were successful in winning pins. They are Albert Evans, Albert Hilley, Robert Kemper, Paul Murray, Irving Rigdon, Felton Taylor, Bill Young, Hugh Hartley, Mercer Murray, Hugh Smisson.

Seven pupils won pins in the Lawrenceville meet, which was conducted on December 14. Forty-one contestants in good standing tried for the pins. The winners were Albert Summers, Lewis Poe, Lewis Powell, Miles Martins, William Pentecost, Malthis Pentecost and Roland Casey.

On December 3 the Ashburn public school meet for the pins was conducted, eighteen pupils contesting for the pins. The winners were Herbert Bailey, Merwin Bailey, Frank Murray, Molesen Morgan.

Fourth Trial of Dr. Hyde.

Kansas City, Mo., January 3.—The fourth trial of Dr. B. Clark Hyde, charged with murdering Colonel Thomas H. Swope, a Kansas City millionaire, was postponed to the April term of the circuit court here today. The prosecuting attorney asserted that the state was not ready for trial.

GIVE RECORD BUTTONS TO 360 "OLD-TIMERS"

President W. T. Gentry Will Be Presented With One Showing Forty Years' Service.

Tonight—Old Timers' night—will be the biggest meeting of the year of the Telephone and Telegraph society of Atlanta. The occasion will be the awarding of gold service record buttons to more than 360 Bell Telephone employees in Atlanta.

The presentations will be made by President W. T. Gentry and First Vice President J. Epps Brown. A few will receive 30-year buttons, others will receive 25 and 20-year buttons, while quite a large number will be presented with 15, 10 and 5-year buttons. Quite a large percentage of those having a long term of service are women, and the fair sex will be very much in evidence.

The meeting will be so large, with 500 members and more than 300 guests, that Taft hall has been engaged for the occasion. An orchestra will be on hand and the famous Southern Bell quartet will do its part.

One of the features of the evening will be the presentation of a 40-year button to President W. T. Gentry by Mr. Brown. It is an interesting fact that the head of the big telephone system in the south has a longer term of service than any other person in the organization.

The only 35-year button to be presented in Georgia or Alabama will go to Mrs. Anna L. Carter, the company's manager at Social Circle, Ga. She has been invited to come to Atlanta at the society's expense so that her badge of honor may be presented by President Gentry in person.

Others who are coming to Atlanta to receive their badges tonight are H. P. Watson, Anniston, Ala., and Robert A. Moore, Huntsville, Ala., having 30 years' service; W. H. M. Weaver, Macon, Ga.; Edward M. McDuffie, Birmingham, Ala.; Miss Bessie Ingram, Columbus, Ga.; Miss Sophie Hersog, Macon, Ga.; J. F. Cason, Montgomery, Ala., and William L. Albea, Macon, Ga., all of whom have 25 years' service.

SPECIAL SESSION ACTS OF ASSEMBLY ON SALE

The acts passed by the special session of the legislature last November have been published and are for sale at the State Library for 50 cents a volume.

Resinol Soap

a friend to poor complexions

Resinol Soap is not only unusually cleansing and softening, but its regular use helps nature give to the skin and hair that beauty of perfect health which it is impossible to imitate. Tendency to pimples is lessened, redness and roughness disappear, and in a very short time the complexion usually becomes clear, fresh and velvety.

The soothing, restoring influence that makes this possible is the *Resinol* which this soap contains and which physicians have prescribed for over twenty years, in Resinol Ointment, in the care of skin and scalp troubles.

If the skin is in bad condition through neglect or an unwise use of cosmetics, Resinol Soap should be aided by a little Resinol Ointment.

Resinol Soap is sold by all druggists and dealers in toilet goods. For a trial-size cake and sample box of Resinol Ointment, free, write Dept. 10-P, Resinol, Baltimore, Md.

A. M. Moore Now Heads Equipment Department Of the Power Company

Announcement of the appointment of A. M. Moore to the newly created office of superintendent of equipment in the Georgia Railway and Power company's organization was made Monday by W. H. Glenn, vice president and operating manager of the company. Mr. Moore has been for several years master mechanic with offices in the Fulton county plant. J. E. Eaves has been named to succeed him in that position, and C. B. Sisson has been appointed assistant to the new superintendent.

Start the New Year Right---

Join Our Thrift Club

and Save a Dime a Day—

Just because New Year's Day has past, don't think it is too late to make a good resolution. Save a Dime a Day for one, three or five years, and you will lay the foundation to a better and happier life.

Parents, children, young business men and wage-earners—we invite you to join our Thrift Club and save a dime a day. It will cost you a dime to join; in return for which we will give you a handy Dime Bank, as shown here, and deposit therein a celluloid check for 10 cents. When you are ready to open an account, bring in the bank and we will open it by combination, and place to your credit the full amount saved, together with the 10-cent check. This is an excellent way to start saving without suffering any privation.

With the 3½ per cent compound interest allowed on Savings Deposits, just look how fast a dime a day will grow:

YEAR.	TOTAL
First	$ 37.76
Third	118.64
Fifth	205.33

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Go-Fans!

Or Domestic "After-ten-hikers"

EVERYBODY is a "GO-FAN" now, no matter what the age. The "hearth-fire" stuff is obsolete, for GOING is the rage! No longer the cozy ingle-nook, with the old-time cheer that none forsook, can hold a charm for an in-doors stay, or even get a look. It's the Dinner Dance, or the Auto, the Cabaret or Show; the MOVIES with the magic hold, or the White Way's garish glow. NOBODY stays at home now, the family's on the hike, for EVERY MEMBER, OLD AND YOUNG, some "joy trail" must strike.

"Go-Fans" go afternoons and nights, they read mornings. No amusement of any kind interferes with the careful perusal of The Constitution. It is read in the morning hours when the mind is clear and in a receptive mood.

Advertising in its columns pays best.

The Flight of the "Go-Fans"

Advertising Department Constitution

$82,532.39 IS EARNED BY THE RESERVE BANK

Earnings for the Year Were $236,460.37 and the Expenses Were $153,927.98.

Showing a net profit of $82,532.39 for the past year, the first annual report of the Federal Reserve bank is most gratifying. Officials of the bank have been engaged in its compilation for some time past and the work was completed yesterday, when copies of the report were mailed to the member banks.

Earnings of the institution during the year were $236,460.37, while expenses aggregated $153,633.39. The complete statement, as issued Monday, is as follows:

EARNINGS.	
Earned discount on bills discounted—members	$230,020.45
Earned discount on bills purchased	85.63
Earned interest on investments (warrants)	1,541.12
Earned commissions	201.45
Earned from other sources	4,608.72
Total earnings	$236,460.37
EXPENSES.	
Organization expenses (including our proportion of expenses of federal reserve board at Washington from their organization to June 30, 1915, $8,342.05)	$23,597.22
Current expenses, cost of operation (including our proportion of expenses of federal reserve board at Washington from June 30, 1915, to December 31, 1915, $4,881.60; also office of federal reserve agent and chairman of the board)	103,440.30
Cost of manufacture of federal reserve notes used ($16,950,000)	24,573.70
Depreciation charged off cost of furniture and equipment (33 1-3 per cent)	2,316.76
Total expenses	$153,927.98
Net profit	$82,532.39
In addition to the above our books also show an income from:	
Unearned discount	$35,170.82
Interest on investments	850.32
Total	$36,021.14

The average maturity date of our discounts is February 16.

Total amount of bills discounted	$35,012,287.67
Total amount of bills discounted paid to date	26,938,094.42
Total amount of bills now under discount	8,074,293.25
Total number of banks accommodated	248
Total number of banks in district	386
Total number of notes discounted	22,252

Cotton Seed Oil.

New York, January 3.—Cotton seed oil was firm, final prices showing net gains of from 4 to 10 points. Buying was stimulated by advancing crude markets and talk of a better consuming demand. Demand for January was chiefly from shorts. Sales, 21,-600 barrels.

Range in New York futures Monday:

	Open.	Close.
Spots		8.65@8.66
January	8.60@8.65	8.70@8.72
February	8.56@8.65	8.64@8.65
March	8.58@8.60	8.64@8.65
April	8.60@8.66	8.68@8.69
May	8.68@8.69	8.74@8.75
June	8.72@8.74	8.86@8.87
July	8.78@8.7[illegible]	8.82@8.83
August	8.87@8.88	8.91@8.92

Metals.

New York, January 3.—The metal exchange quotes lead offered $5.60. Spelter not quoted.

At London, lead £30 7s 6d. Spelter, £90.

Copper, firm; electrolytic, $23.00.

Iron, steady; No. 1 northern, $20.00@20.50; No. 2, $19.50@20.00; No. 1 southern, $19.75@20.25; No. 2, $19.50@20.00.

Metal exchange quotes tin, nominal.

At London, spot copper, £86 15s. Futures, £86 15s. Electrolytic, £110, spot tin, £171; futures, £172.

Antimony, £125.

Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, January 3.—Cotton, spot steady. American middling fair, 8.85; good middling, 8.24; middling, 8.01; low middling, 7.67. Sales, 10,000; 1,000 for speculation and export. Receipts, 28,000. Futures closed barely steady.

Range in Liverpool futures Monday:

	Opening Range.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Jan.-Feb.	7.76 -7.75½	7.75½	7.73½
Feb.-March	7.75½	7.75½	7.72
March-April	7.72 -7.75½	7.74½	7.70
April-May	7.68½	7.69	7.66½
May-June	7.62 -7.66	7.64½	7.60
June-July	7.58 -7.60	7.59½	7.55
July-Aug.	7.52 -7.58½	7.54½	7.50
Aug.-Sept.	7.39 -7.38	7.38	7.38
Sept.-Oct.	7.17 -7.17½	7.22½	7.20
Oct.-Nov.		7.11½	7.08
January		7.72½	7.73½

Dry Goods.

New York, January 3.—Cotton goods and yarns were strong today. Canton silks higher and burlaps strong. Dress goods active.

For Making Arrests Marshall Is Charged With Murder Attempt

Rome, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—The village of Cave Spring in Floyd county, has been aroused by a difficulty between Roger Ray, marshal of the village; Walter Willamon, a well-known farmer, and Punch Montgomery, a third well-known citizen of Floyd county.

Warrants against all parties have been sworn out, and the trouble will be aired at the next session of Floyd superior court.

Willamon claims that in making arrest for drunkenness the marshal used unnecessary violence, and charges of assault with attempt to murder and of carrying concealed weapons and assault and battery have been sworn out against the marshal. Similar charges have been made against the other parties.

MOLENA AGAIN ELECTS R. C. BANKS AS MAYOR

Molena, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—R. C. Banks was today again elected mayor for the year of 1916. His administration has given such universal satisfaction that he was elected without opposition.

The following gentlemen were elected as aldermen: C. R. Willis, J. A. Melton, J. O. Bartlett, W. M. Jordan, J. C. Wilkes. D. C. Brown was elected marshal.

Jakin City Election.

Jakin, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—In a very warmly contested election for mayor and councilmen the following ticket was elected:

For mayor, O. P. Mosely. For councilmen, J. A. Bivings, T. F. Minter, W. J. Bryant, J. P. Donaldson and J. C. Payne. Both tickets were made up of good, representative business men, and the contest, while enthusiastic, was friendly, and everybody is satisfied with the result.

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Foreign Buying Caused Partial Recovery of Cotton Downturn

Delicate International Situation Had Caused Loss of 18 Points From Friday's Close, Most of Which Was Recovered.

RANGE IN NEW YORK COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Last Sale	Close.	Prev. Close.
Jan.	12.20	12.20	12.04	12.24	12.22	12.22
Mar.	12.52	12.52	12.30	12.47	12.46	12.48
May	12.70	12.71	12.54	12.69	12.69	12.69
July	12.86	12.86	12.67	12.82	12.82	12.86
Oct.	12.47	12.49	12.35	12.49	12.49	12.48

RANGE IN NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Last Sale	Close.	Prev. Close.
Jan.	12.08	12.08	11.90	12.00	12.02	12.02
Mar.	12.40	12.40	12.17	12.33	12.33	12.33
May	12.64	12.65	12.45	12.61	12.60	12.62
July	12.76	12.76	12.58	12.75	12.75	12.77
Oct.	12.38	12.38	12.29	12.38	12.37	12.38

New York, January 3.—Uneasiness over international relations seemed chiefly responsible for a sharp break in the cotton market at the reopening today, but after a decline to 12.30 for March, or about 18 points from last Friday's closing figures, offerings became less active. Prices then steadied on foreign buying and covering with March selling up to 12.46, and with the list closing steady, net 4 points lower to 1 point higher.

Liverpool was better than due, but after opening steady at an advance of 6 points to a decline of 2 points, the market here broke sharply under more or less general liquidation. The sinking of the Persia and the Glengyle seemed to cause renewed nervousness over the possibility of international complications, and weakness in the stock market was accompanied by considerable scattering Wall street liquidation of cotton contracts. On the break to 12.04 for January, 12.54 for May and 12.67 for July, or of 15 to 19 points from Friday's finals, Liverpool was a big buyer, however, and there also seemed to be some support from southern spot houses. This demand took a good many contracts out of the market, and while trading became much less active after the close of Liverpool, prices ruled steady during the balance of the day.

Later reports regarding the submarine disasters seemed to create a rather more favorable impression around the ring and there was doubtless covering by early sellers on the rally, which carried the active months back to about Friday's closing level. The close was within a point or two of the best. Except for the submarine developments there appeared to be very little change in the general character of the news. Private cables reported very small offerings in Liverpool and reports received here from the south indicated continued firmness among interior holders, while reviews of the domestic goods trade showed continued activity with advances in burlaps accompanied by an increasing demand for coarse cotton fabrics.

New Orleans Unchanged to 2 Points Down.

New Orleans, January 3.—Except for a few minutes during the opening call, the cotton market here today stood at the decline underselling resulting from the sinking of ships in foreign waters. Fear of fresh international complications caused the liquidation of considerable long cotton and stimulated short selling. At the lowest the most active months were 16 to 17 points under last week's final quotations. After the early slump the market displayed a steady undertone and made almost a full recovery. The close was unchanged to 2 points down, compared with Friday's close.

A much better Liverpool market than due started buying on the opening call on which the near months rose 3 to 7 points. Later months would have shared in the improvement, but for reports that a British vessel had been sunk with loss of life. A little later came reports of disaster to another British steamer and a Japanese freighter. Under this news the market slumped 20 to 23 points, on the most active months, from the high levels established on the opening call.

Little else but the marine losses and their effect on international politics was discussed on the floor during the day.

Spot cotton quiet, unchanged. Sales on the spot, 435 bales; to arrive, none. Good ordinary, 10.12; strict good ordinary, 10.68; low middling, 11.19; strict low middling, 11.51; middling, 11.88; strict middling, 12.13; good middling, 12.46; strict good middling, 12.69. Receipts, 123; stock, 421,470.

COTTON MOVEMENT.

ATLANTA 4c—FIRM, 12.25.

Port Movement.

New Orleans—Middling 11.88; receipts 123; exports 5,593; sales 435; stock 421,470.

Galveston—Middling 12.30; receipts 9,840; exports 9,845; sales 200; stock 383,858.

Mobile—Middling 11.75; receipts 155; sales sales 25; stock 32,735.

Savannah—Middling 12.00; receipts 2,969; sales 630; stock 206,730.

Charleston—Middling 11⅝; receipts 182; stock 104,927.

Wilmington—Receipts 47; stock 41,551.

Texas City—Receipts 9,743.

Norfolk—Middling 11.75; receipts 3,528; sales 770; stock 133,832.

Baltimore—Stock 5,497.

Boston—Middling 12.40; receipts 1,361; exports 281; stock 11,000.

Philadelphia—Middling 12.65; stock 1,850.

New York—Middling 12.40; receipts 415; sales 200; stock 329,719.

Minor ports—Stock 65,875.

Total today—Receipts 28,363; exports 15,-689; stock 1,740,044.

Total for week—Receipts 47,299; exports 26,246.

Total for season—Receipts 4,201,348; exports 2,338,752.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling 12.30; receipts 10,595; shipments 8,914; sales 1,398; stock 332,967.

Memphis—Middling 12.12; receipts 2,151; shipments 4,227; sales 2,650; stock 354,164.

Augusta—Middling 11.88; receipts 573; shipments 2,246; sales 1,326; stock 210,105.

St. Louis—Middling 12¼; receipts 3,032; shipments 2,735; stock 15,742.

Cincinnati—Receipts 628; shipments 1,577; stock 15,989.

Little Rock—Middling 12.13; receipts 167; shipments 1,125; sales 1,135; stock 41,595.

Dallas—Middling 11.90.

Montgomery—Middling 11.63.

Total today—Receipts 17,146; shipments 20,824; stock 870,562.

Comparative Port Receipts.

The following table shows receipts at the ports Monday, compared with the same day last year:

	1916.	1915.
New Orleans	2,04[illegible]	8,361
Galveston	14,756	20,559
Mobile	236	726
Savannah		16,967
Charleston		2,552
Wilmington	103	996
Norfolk		2,674
Boston	768	408
Various	569	
Total	18,936	58,243

Interior Movement.

	1916.	1915.
Houston	10,595	42,961
Augusta	573	2,482
Memphis	2,151	10,787
St. Louis	3,032	3,418
Cincinnati		10,532
Little Rock		2,478
Total	17,251	72,678

Rice.

New Orleans, January 3.—A quiet tone continued in both grades of rice today.

Receipts—Rough, 13,223; millers, 13,188; clean, 4,683.

Sales, 1,003 pockets clean Honduras at 2¾@5; thirteen pockets Japan at 2¾.

Quote—Rough Honduras, 2.10@3.75; Japan, 2.70@4.00; clean Honduras, 4@5; Japan, 2⅝@4⅛.

Rice polish, per ton, $25@28; bran, $15@17.

YESTERDAY'S TRENDS IN FINANCE AND MARKETS

Articles—	Close.	Changes Since Previous Close. Adv.	Dec.
COTTON—Spot del'y, per lb. in Atlanta	12.25c	.....	.....
COTTON—March del'y, per lb. in New York	12.46c	.....	.02
COTTON—March del'y, per lb. in New Or.	12.33c	.....	.....
COTTON—Feb.-March del'y, per lb. in Liverpool	7.75½d	.04½	.....
WHEAT—May del'y, per bu. in Chicago	$1.22⅞	.....	.02⅝
CORN—May del'y, per bu. in Chicago	.75⅛c	.....	.01⅛
OATS—May del'y, per bu. in Chicago	.47¼c	.....	.00⅜
PORK—May del'y, per bbl. in Chicago	$19.02	.....	.....
LARD—May del'y, per trc. in Chicago	$10.20	.05	.....
RIBS—May del'y, per lb. in Chicago	10.60c	.03	.....
C. S. OIL—March del'y, per lb. in New York	8.64c	.....	.07
SUGAR—March del'y, lb. in New York	3.39c	.....	.01
COFFEE—March del'y, per lb. in New York	6.66c	.....	.04
CALL MONEY in New York, avg.	1.13*	.21	.....
COLLATERAL LOANS in New York, avg.	2.58*	.....	.17
COMMERCIAL PAPER in New York, avg.	3.13*	.....	.....
DEMAND LONDON EX. in New York	$4.7350	.0025	.....
5 TYPICAL LISTED Industrial stocks, New York	$120.35	.....	.12
5 TYPICAL LISTED R. R. stocks in New York	$79.60	.10	.....
5 TYPICAL LISTED R. R. and Ind. Bonds in New York	$102.12	.....	.33

*Per cent.

Industrial stocks used are: Amer. Sugar, Gen. Electric, Studebaker, U. S. Rubber and U. S. Steel.

Railroad stocks used are: Balt. & Ohio, Ill. Central, N. Y. Central, Penn. and Southern Railway.

Railroad and Industrial bonds used are: Amer. Tel. & Tel., Central of Georgia, Consol., Central Leather, U. S. Steel and Virginia-Carolina Chemical.

PROFESSIONAL VIEWS ON COTTON SITUATION

New York, January 3.—(Special.)—At the opening of the market today selling was rather liberal and seemed to be induced by the fear of political complications as a result of the sinking of the Persia. Subsequently, however, Liverpool became a buyer in this market and prices recovered from their early decline. There is a good demand for spot cotton throughout the south and this restricts selling here specially since Liverpool is willing to cover its shorts at present differences.

JAY, BOND & CO.

New York, January 3.—(Special.)—The differences between this market and Liverpool continue to widen and today a parity of 355 points was registered between January, New York and January-February, Liverpool. With an acute supply situation abroad and domestic textile centers sending out optimistic advices, keen competition to the benefit of the price of the staple, and likewise futures is likely to result when a satisfactory outlet is secured. The quick recovery of values from the early depression caused by the unfavorable holiday marine happenings reveals the trend of cotton values to be a constructive one.

SHEARSON, HAMMIL & CO.

New York, January 3.—(Special.)—Taking as a basis of comparison the market one year ago today and the prices which exist today and to be perfectly fair in making such comparison, using May cotton instead of January, in which latter comparison the difference would be more startling, still we have:

One year ago today May cotton was selling at about 8.30 to 8.40, while today the same option is selling at about 430 points higher. One year ago today Liverpool was selling May-June at about 4.50, today it closes at about 625 American points higher. In other words Liverpool has shown 6¼ cents advance in one year, while New York has only advanced 4¼ cents. Of course the freight rate is about 75 points higher now than then, and it takes about 25 points more to take care of 12½-cent cotton than 8¼-cent cotton. The other cent per pound premium is due wholly, we think, to an incorrect distribution of the supply of cotton not yet used.

The foreign markets are carrying much less than a normal. We are carrying in the United States much more than a normal. It is true that we are willing and able to carry it at the moment, and it is also true that some of those who have sold spot cottons for January delivery are not finding it easy to secure these cottons or to secure freight room for their transportation, but unless a new demand springs up the latter part of this month and unless some means of transporting that cotton to Europe is devised, we do not favor pursuing the cotton market to much higher than the present levels, as evidence is daily accumulating of an itch to plant an increased acreage.

In some of the boll weevil sections of Mississippi we hear of individual increases of 500 or 600 per cent. The foreigner may own a portion of our port stock, but he owns as much as he wants to own until shipping facilities are improved. The south may be willing to hold and are undoubtedly able to do so, as they have demonstrated that, but will they be willing to do so when they face the acreage question, unless in the meanwhile something new shows up. Do not buy cotton, except on healthy breaks.

RENSKORF, LYON & CO.

New York, January 3.—(Special.)—The situation in Liverpool is becoming acute in that the daily demand from the mills finds the supply of cotton decreasing instead of increasing, as usual, at this season of the year. Of course Manchester has gone along on the theory that somebody would import the cotton, because it always has been so, and now with business improving there, they come to Liverpool to buy and find that the cotton is in America and not in Liverpool.

As a result of the latest submarine tragedy there was selling in our market this morning in face of the advance in Liverpool from whence came the orders which absorbed these offerings, which broke the market at the opening, so that under the influence of this European demand the market closed at about last Friday's prices.

The feeling in our local trade is bearish, based on the same ideas that have been current al the season. The good business in Manchester and here is passed by.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

New Orleans, La., January 3.—(Special.)—Liverpool was five points better than due and American markets opened steady and higher. They immediately broke, however, on rumors of the sinking of several additional allied liners.

Buying at the decline was sufficient to again rally prices to Friday's close, after having sold down about $1 a bale. It was reported that Italy would take over her merchant marine as soon as they arrived at home ports and it was also reported that freight room to Liverpool from this port would be advanced to $3 per hundred. There, however, was no sign of weakness to spot holders.

In view of the disquieting rumors the market made a good showing on the day and would no doubt have closed higher if it had not been for them.

THORN & MAGINNIS.

Coffee.

New York, January 3.—The market for coffee futures was steadier today, owing to the continued firmness of Brazil and the absence of selling pressure. The opening was unchanged to six points higher on a little European buying of July and September, while prices later improved on scattered covering of March and reports that ocean freight room was becoming scarcer. The close was a shade off from the best, under realizing, but steady at a net advance of 3 to 4 points. Sales, 11,750.

Spot coffee, steady; Rio 7's, 7⅝; Santos 4's, 9c.

Cost and freight offers were firmer with 4's quoted at 8.90 to 9.00 basis, English credits, and Rio 7's at about 7 to 7¼c.

The official cables reported no change in milreis prices. Santos reported a clearance of 94,000 bags for New York. Brazilian port receipts 61,000; Jundiahy 51,000.

Range in New York futures Monday:

	Opening.	Closing.
January		6.48@6.50
February	6.62@6.64	6.56@6.58
March		6.65@6.67
April		6.70@6.72
May	6.74@6.80	6.75@6.77
June	6.77@6.83	6.81@6.82
July	6.84 bid	6.86@6.87
August	6.85@6.91	6.91@6.92
September	6.94@6.98	6.96@6.97
October	7.06 ofd.	6.99@7.01
November		7.02@7.04
December	7.06@7.08	7.05@7.07

PROVISIONS RISE, GRAINS DOWNTURN

Immense Hog Receipts Not Enough to Offset General Buying in All Provisions. Receipts Sagged Grains.

Chicago, January 3.—Heavy enlargement of the United States visible supply total gave a setback today to the wheat market here. The outcome was a weak close at 1⅛ to 2⅝@¾c net decline, with May at $1.22⅞ and July at $1.16⅛. Corn lost 1⅛@1¼ to 1⅜c, and oats ⅜@½c. Provisions finished unchanged to 10c higher.

Piling up of domestic stocks brought about selling pressure on wheat right from the start. The huge increase in the supply as compared with a week ago, 5,533,000 bushels, formed a decided contrast with the decrease of 884,000 bushels shown at the corresponding time last year, and was further emphasized by announcement of an embargo against shipments of grain to Galveston. The fact that congestion of railway facilities in the east had not been removed seemed to offset the influence of higher quotations at Liverpool and of European dispatches telling of unabated demand.

Foreign buying of future deliveries helped a good deal to check declines in wheat and to cause some upturns from the low point of the day. The purchasing on trans-Atlantic orders was chiefly in the July option. About the only other encouragement for the bulls came from northwestern advices which indicated that a falling off was likely in receipts from the Dakotas and Minnesota.

Corn sagged with wheat. Favorable weather and increased arrivals tended also to weaken the market.

Oats developed comparative strength. A favorite theory was that oats were at too large a discount as compared with corn.

Fair general buying put firmness into provisions. The immense receipts of hogs appeared to have little or no effect.

Chicago Quotations.

Range on board of trade Monday:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
WHEAT—					
May	1.24⅝	1.25⅝	1.22¾	1.22⅞	1.25⅞
July	1.16⅝	1.17	1.15⅝	1.16⅛	1.17⅞
CORN—					
May	.76¼	.76¼	.75	.75⅛	.76⅝
July	.76⅝	.77	.75⅝	.76	.....
OATS—					
May	.47⅝	.47⅝	.46⅝	.47¼	.47⅝
PORK—					
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	18.85	18.75
May	19.05	19.07	18.87	19.02	19.02
LARD—					
Jan.	9.85	9.92	9.85	9.92	9.87
May	10.17	10.25	10.12	10.20	10.15
RIBS—					
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	10.25	10.22
May	10.60	10.65	10.52	10.60	10.57

Receipts in Chicago.

Articles.	Monday.
Wheat, cars	210
Corn, cars	227
Oats, cars	153
Hogs, head	80,000

Grain.

Chicago, January 3.—Wheat, No. 2 red, 1.21¾@1.22¾; No. 3 red, $1.19@1.20¾; No. 2 hard, $1.18¾@1.20; No. 3 hard, $1.15@1.17¼.

Corn, No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, 68¼@70¾; No. 4 white, 67¼@70½.

Oats, No. 3 white, 43¼@44; standard, 44½@44¾.

Rye, No. 2, 97.

Barley, 64@76.

Timothy, $6.00@8.00.

Clover, $10.00@19.00.

St. Louis, January 3.—Wheat, No. 2 red, $1.24@1.27; No. 2 hard, nominal; May, $1.19¾@1.19¼; July, $1.12¾.

Corn, No. 2, 71; No. 2 white, 70½@71; May, 73¼@73⅛; July, 74.

Oats, No. 2, 43¼@45; No. 2 white, nominal; May, 46¼; July, nominal.

Kansas City, January 3.—Wheat, No. 2 hard, $1.11@1.17; No. 2 red, $1.17@1.20.

Corn, No. 2 mixed, 66¼; No. 3 white, 65@65¼; No. 2 yellow, 67.

Oats, No. 2 white, 43@43½; No. 2 mixed, 39@40.

Country Produce.

New York, January 3.—Butter, steady; receipts, 6,705. Creamery, extras (92 score), 33¼; creamery (higher scoring), 34@34½; firsts, 28@32¼; seconds, 25@27¼.

Eggs, firm; receipts, 6,916. Fresh gathered, extra fine, 35@36; extra firsts, 34@34½; firsts, 32@33½; seconds, 30@32. Nearby hennery whites, fine to fancy, 45@48; nearby hennery browns, 38@40.

Cheese, firm; receipts, 1,538. State whole milk flats, held, specials, 17½@17¾; do. average fancy, 17@17¼; do. current make, specials, 17@17¼; do. average fancy, 16¼@16¾.

Live poultry, prices not quoted. Dressed, very quiet. Fresh killed chickens, 14½@27; fowls, 13½@17; turkeys, 24@35.

Chicago, January 3.—Butter, steady; creamery, 23¼@32.

Eggs higher; receipts, 1,650 cases; firsts, 28; ordinary firsts, 26¼@27; at mark, cases included, 22@27½.

Potatoes, higher; receipts, 60 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin white, 90@$1.00; Minnesota white, 90@95; Minnesota-Ohios, 85@90.

Poultry, alive, higher; fowls, 14½; springs, 14½; turkeys, 18.

Kansas City, January 3.—Butter, creamery, 33; firsts, 31; seconds, 29; packing, 19.

Eggs, firsts, 26½; seconds, 20.

Poultry, hens, 10½@11; turkeys, 15; springs, 12.

Live Stock.

Chicago, January 3.—Hogs—Receipts, 80,000; next to the largest receipts on record; steady. Bulk, $6.60@6.90; light, $6.45@6.90; mixed, $6.45@6.95; heavy, $6.50@7.00; rough, $6.50@6.60; pigs, $5.50@6.40.

Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; strong. Native beef steers, $6.25@9.80; cows and heifers, $3.00@8.45; calves, $7.00@10.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; strong. Wethers, $6.70@7.15; ewes, $4.60@6.65; lambs, $7.50@10.00.

St. Louis, January 3.—Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; low. Pigs and lights, $4.00@6.85; mixed and butchers, $6.70@6.95; good heavy, $6.85@6.95.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; steady. Native beef steers, $7.50@9.50; yearling steers and heifers, $8.50@9.50; cows, $5.30@7.00; stockers and feeders, $5.00@7.25; Texas and Indian steers, $5.25@8.50; cows and heifers, $4.00@6.50; native calves, $6.00@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,300; strong. Yearlings, $6.50@8.50; lambs, $8.00@9.50; sheep and ewes, $5.50@6.50.

Kansas City, January 3.—Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; lower. Bulk, $6.50@6.70; heavy, $6.60@6.72½; packers and butchers, $6.50@6.70; light, $6.45@6.60; pigs, $5.00@6.00.

Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; steady. Prime fed steers, $8.50@9.25; dressed beef steers, $6.50@8.25; southern steers, $5.50@6.75; cows, $4.00@6.75; heifers, $6.00@9.00; stockers and feeders, $5.50@8.00; bulls, $5.25@6.00; calves, $6.00@9.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 9,000; 15 to 25 cents higher. Lambs, $8.75@9.40; yearlings, $7.25@8.25; wethers, $6.00@6.75; ewes, $5.50@6.30.

New York Financial.

New York, January 3.—Mercantile paper, 3@3¼.

Sterling, 60-day bills, $4.69¾; demand, $4.73½; cables, $4.74¼.

Francs, demand, 5.85; cables, 5.84.

Marks, demand, 75 11-16; cables, 75¾.

Guilders, demand, 43¾; cables, 44.

Lires, demand, 6.62; cables, 6.61.

Rubles, demand, 30¾; cables, 30.

Bar silver, 55⅝.

Mexican dollars, 42.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm.

Time loans, weak; 60 days, 2½@2¾; 90 days, 2¾@2¾; six months, 2¾@3.

Call money, firmer; high, 2¼; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 1¾; last loan, 2¼; closing bid, 2; offered at 2¼.

Naval Stores.

Savannah, Ga., January 3.—Turpentine, firm, 54; sales, 102; receipts, 33; shipments, 270; stock, 15,742.

Rosin, firm; sales, 685; receipts, 711; shipments, 3,046; stock, 74,095.

Quote—A, B, C and D, $5.65; E, $5.70; F and G, $5.75; H, $5.80; I, $5.85; K, $6.00; M, $6.50; N, $7.00; window glass, $7.00@7.35; water white, $7.50.

Jacksonville, Fla., January 3.—Turpentine, firm, 53¾; sales, 55; receipts, 446; shipments, 546; stock, 35,584.

Rosin, firm; sales, 1,020; receipts, 3,518; shipments, 575; stock, 139,693.

Quote—A, B, C, D, E and F, $5.65@6.00; G, $5.80; H, $5.80@5.85; I, $5.85; K, $5.95@6.00; M, $6.20; N, $6.65; window glass, $6.97½; water white, $7.20.

TEUTONIC ACTIVITY SAGGED SECURITIES

Notwithstanding the Rising and Falling Prices, Stock Transactions Exceeded a Million Shares. Oil Shares Up.

New York, January 3.—On the stock exchange the new year began with misgivings, in consequence of the sinking of the British liner Persia, and the further activities of the Teutonic naval forces. Opening prices were 1 to more than 4 points lower, but these losses were largely regained, only to fall back again. Before midday another rally effaced most declines and thereafter the record for the most part was one of irregular advances.

Oil shares, more particularly Mexican Petroleum, which led last week's rise, were once more the spectacular features, Mexican making a maximum gain of 6⅝ points at 129⅝. This represents an advance of almost 22 points over its final quotation of a week ago. California Petroleum which, according to rumor is to merge with Mexican, also was strong, the common advancing 4⅝ to 42⅝, and the preferred 2⅛ to 80⅝. Associated Oil registered a total gain of 4 to 77, and Texas Company came within striking distance of its record on the advance of 2 to 235½.

United States Steel was forced into place by reason of the extraordinary activity of the oil group, but was fairly steady after the first hour of uncertainty, recovering from the low price of 87⅝ to 89, and closing at 88½, a net loss of ⅝. Metal shares were conspicuous, but under moderate pressure, except American Smelting, which made an extreme rise of 3½ to 11⅝.

Among the distinctive war issues, New York Airbrake was the foremost feature, advancing 9¼ to 149½, but such erstwhile favorites as Baldwin Locomotive, Studebaker, Crucible Steel, Lackawanna Steel and Bethlehem Steel displayed heaviness, the latter falling almost 10 to 450, but hardening later. Tobaccos, fertilizers and some unclassified issues were under restraint, but Mercantile Marine preferred was in steady request.

The entire railway list denoted pressure at times, except St. Paul and the trans-continentals, but in the last half of the session brisk buying restored much of this loss. Trading was the largest of any recent session and dealings were spread over a wide area. Prices shaded at the close, causing an irregular undertone.

Bonds closed firm after some concessions in speculative issues. Total sales of bonds, par value, aggregated $4,100,000.

Anglo-French fives were quiet, but steady, in contrast to German and Austro-Hungarian bonds, in which subscription prices were again lowered to meet the depreciation in marks and kronen.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Stocks in New York.

STOCKS—	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Allis-Chalmers	31¼	30⅞	31	31⅝
Am. Beet Sugar	.....	.....	69⅛	69⅞
Am. Can	62⅝	60⅞	61⅛	61⅝
Am. Car and Fdry	78	77	77⅛	78¼
Am. Cotton Oil	55¼	55¼	55¼	55⅝
Am. Locomotive	69	68⅛	68⅝	69
Am. Smelting	111⅜	108¼	110⅞	108¼
Am. Sugar	115	114⅛	114⅝	115
Am. Tel. and Tel.	127¾	127	127⅛	127¼
Am. Tobacco	208½	208	208½	206
Anaconda Copper	91⅛	89⅝	90⅝	91⅛
Atchison	108⅛	107	108	108⅛
Atlantic Coast Line	115	114¼	115	114¾
Baldwin Locom've	118⅝	115¾	117¼	117⅝
B. and O.	95⅝	94⅝	95⅛	95⅜
Bethlehem Steel	463	450	455	459½
Brooklyn Rd. Tran.	87¾	87⅛	87⅛	88¼
Canadian Pacific	183⅛	181⅝	182⅞	181
Central Leather	54¼	53⅝	53⅝	54⅛
Chesap's and Ohio	64⅝	63⅝	64⅛	64⅝
Chi., Mil. and St. Paul	102	100	102	100⅛
Chi., R. I. and Pac. Ry.	18⅛	17⅛	17½	18
Consolidated Gas	146	143⅛	143⅝	144⅝
Continental Can	86⅝	85⅝	86⅝	76⅞
Crucible Steel	73⅝	70⅝	73	73
Erie	43⅝	43⅝	43⅛	44
General Electric	174⅝	174⅛	174⅛	174⅝
Great Northern, pfd.	126⅝	126⅛	126⅝	127⅛
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	50⅝	49⅝	50⅝	51⅝
Illinois Central	109⅝	108	109⅝	108
Interborough Consol. Corp.	21⅛	21	21	21⅛
Kan. City Southern	32⅝	31⅝	32	32
Lehigh Valley	81⅝	81⅛	81⅛	82⅛
L. and N.	129⅝	128⅝	129⅝	129⅝
Liggett and Myers	260	260	260	250
Lorillard Co.	.....	.....	180	180
Mo., Kan. and Texas pfd.	.....	.....	16	16⅝
Missouri Pacific	4⅝	4	4⅝	4⅛
Mexican Petroleum	129⅝	118⅛	127	122
National Lead	66⅛	65⅝	69	66⅛
N. Y. Central	110⅛	109	110	110⅝
N. Y., N. H. and H.	77⅝	77	77⅝	77
N. and W.	121⅛	121	121⅛	122
Northern Pacific	118⅛	117⅛	118⅛	118
Pennsylvania	59⅝	59	59⅛	59⅛
Reading	82⅝	82⅛	82⅝	84
Rep. Iron and Steel	55⅛	54⅛	54⅝	55⅛
Seaboard Air Line	.....	.....	18	18⅛
do. pfd.	.....	.....	39⅛	39⅛
Sloss-Shef. Steel and Iron	63⅝	62⅝	62⅝	63⅝
Studeb'r Corp.	167	163⅛	165⅝	167⅛
Southern Pacific	103⅝	102⅛	103⅝	103⅝
Southern Railway	24	23⅝	23⅝	24
do. pfd.	64⅛	63	64	63⅝
Tenn. Copper	63⅝	61⅝	62⅝	63⅝
Texas Co.	235½	229	231	232
Texas and Pacific	10	9⅛	10	10⅛
Union Pacific	139	137⅝	138⅛	139⅝
U. S. Rubber	58½	56⅝	57⅛	56
U. S. Steel	89	87⅝	88⅝	89⅝
do. pfd.	117	116⅝	117	117
Utah Copper	82⅝	80⅝	81	81⅛
Va.-Caro. Chem.	49⅛	48	49	49⅝
Va.-Iron, Coal and Coke	.....	.....	63	64
Wabash pfd. "B" Ctfs.	31⅛	29⅝	31	30⅝
Western Union	88⅝	88⅛	88⅛	88⅝
Westingh's Electric	69⅛	68⅛	69	69⅝
United Fruit	147⅛	146⅛	147⅛	148

Total sales Monday 1,645,900 shares.

Bonds in New York.

U. S. 2s, registered	99¼
do. coupon	99
U. S. 3s, registered	101¼
do. coupon	101¼
U. S. 4s, registered	110
do. coupon	110
Panama 3s, coupon	101¼
American Agricultural 5s, bid	102
American Cotton Oil 5s, bid	96¼
American Tel. and Tel. cv. 4½s	107¼
American Tobacco 6s, bid	119
Anglo-French 5s	94⅝
Atchison gen. 4s	94⅝
Atlantic Coast Line Consol. 4s	93
Baltimore and Ohio cv. 4½s	97¼
Central of Georgia Consol. 5s, bid	100⅝
Central Leather 5s	101
Chesapeake and Ohio cv. 4½s	89⅝
Chicago, B. and Q. joint 4s	97¼
Chi., Mil. and St. Paul cv. 5s	103⅝
Chi., R. I. and Pac. Ry. ref. 4s	65⅝
Erie gen. 4s	75⅝
Illinois Central ref. 4s	89⅝
Liggett and Myers 5s	101⅝
Lorillard 5s, bid	100
Louisville and Nash. un. 4s, bid	94⅝
Missouri, Kan. and Texas 1st 4s	73⅝
New York Central deb. 6s	112⅝
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford cv. 6s	118⅝
Norfolk and Western cv. 4½s, bid	121⅝
Northern Pacific 4s	93⅝
Pennsylvania Consol. 4½s	106⅝
Pennsylvania gen. 4½s	100⅝
Reading gen. 4s	94⅝
Republic Iron and Steel 5s (1940)	98⅝
St. Louis and San. Fran ref. 4s, bid	71⅝
Seaboard Air Line adj. 5s	66
Southern Bell Telephone 5s	99⅝
Southern Pacific cv. 5s	107⅝
Southern Railway 5s	102
do. gen. 4s	71⅝
Tenn. Copper cv. 6s	124⅝
Texas Company cv. 6s	105⅝
Texas and Pacific 1st	98
Union Pacific 4s	97¼
U. S. Steel 5s	104
Virginia-Car. Chemical 5s, bid	98
Wabash Ref. 4s Ctfs.	107

London Financial.

London, January 3.—Bar silver, 26 11-16d per ounce.

Money, 4@4½ per cent.

Discount rates, short bills and three months, 5½ per cent.

The Bank of England today exported £88,-000 in sovereigns to the continent and released £100,000 for miscellaneous purposes.

Provisions.

Chicago, January 3.—Cash:

Pork, $17.85.

Lard, $9.82.

Ribs, $8.75@9.25.

ATLANTA QUOTATIONS

ATLANTA PROVISION MARKET.

(Corrected by the White Provision Co.)

Cornfield hams, 10 to 12 avg.	18
Cornfield hams, 12 to 14 avg.	17½
Cornfield skinned hams, 16 to 18 avg.	17½
Cornfield picnic hams, 6 to 8 avg.	13½
Cornfield breakfast bacon	30
Cornfield sliced bacon, 1-lb. cartons, 12 to case	$3.60
Grocers' bacon, wide or narrow	21
Cornfield fresh pork sausage, link or bulk, 25-lb. buckets	13
Cornfield wieners, 10-lb. cartons	14
Cornfield bologna sausage, 25-lb. boxes	12
Cornfield luncheon ham, 25-lb. boxes	14
Cornfield smoked link sausage, 25-lb. boxes	10
Cornfield wieners, in pickle, No. 15 kits	$1.75
Cornfield lard, tierce basis	11½
Country style lard, 50-lb. tins	11½
Compound lard, tierce basis	10½
D. S. extra ribs	11½
D. S. bellies, medium average	12½
D. S. bellies, light average	13

ATLANTA LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Corrected by W. H. White, Jr., of the White Provision Company.)

Good to choice steers, 800 to 900	$5.75@6.25
Good steers, 700 to 800	$5.25@5.75
Medium to good steers, 700 to 800	$4.75@5.25
Good to choice beef cows, 750 to 850	$4.50@5.00
Medium to good cows, 650 to 750	$4.25@4.50
Good to choice heifers, 600 to 700	$4.00@4.50

The above represents the ruling price of good quality cattle. Inferior grades and dairy types selling lower.

Medium to good steers, 750 to 850	$4.50@5.00
Medium to good cows, 650 to 750	$3.75@4.50
Mixed common	$3.00@3.50
Good fat oxen	$4.50@4.75
Medium oxen	$3.50@4.00
Good butcher bulls	$3.50@4.25
Prime hogs, 160 to 200	$6.50@6.85
Good butcher hogs, 140 to 160	$6.40@6.50
Good butcher pigs, 100 to 140	$6.20@6.40
Light pigs, 80 to 100	$6.10@6.25
Heavy rough hogs, 200 to 300	$6.00@6.50

Above quotations apply to cornfed hogs. Mast and peanut-fattened 1 to 1½c under.

Cattle receipts light. Market higher on all desirable grades. Trimmers and medium cattle have also moved at some better price levels.

Hogs plentiful. Market steady and stronger.

GROCERIES.

(Corrected by Oglesby Grocery Company.)

Candy—Sticks, 7; mixed, 7½; chocolate, 13½.

Beans—Lima, 6½; pink, 5½; navy, 7½.

Jelly—30-lb. pails, $1.35; 2-oz. $2.70.

Spaghetti—$1.90.

Leather—Diamond oak, 48c.

Pepper—Grain, 20c; ground, 20c.

Flour—Elegant, $7.75; Diamond, $6.90. Best Self-rising, $6.75; Monogram, $6.35; Carnation, $6.15; Golden Grain, $5.70; Pancake, per case, $3.00.

Canned Goods—Pork and Beans, 1s, 2s and 3s, $1.90 to $4.20. Corn, $1.75 to $2.40. Peas, $1.90 to $4.20. String beans, 1s, 2s and 3s, $1.80 to $4.50. Salmon red, Libby's, $6.75; Chums, $3.40; pink, $6.75. Veal Loaf, one-half, $2.80. Asparagus tips, $4.50 to $5.00. Tuna fish, 1s, $8.50; ½s, $8.00. Condensed milk, $2.85 to $6.60; Evaporated milk, $2.40 to $3.60. Oysters, Alligator, $1.60. Pearls, $1.60.

Salt—100-lb. bags, 56; ice cream, 90c; Granocrystal, 85c; No. 3 barrels, $3.25.

Arm and Hammer Soda, $3.05; keg soda, 2c; Royal Baking Powder, 1-pound, $4.80; ½-pound, $5.00; Horsford's, $4.50; Good Luck, $1.80; Success, $1.80; Rough Rider, $1.80.

Lard and Compound—Cottolene, $7.75; Snow Drift, cases, $6.50; Scoco, 10; Flake White, 1[illegible].

Sour Gherkins—Per crate, $1.80; kegs, $6.50@8.00; sweet mixed, kegs, $11.50. Olives, 90c to $4.50 per dozen.

Sugar—Granulated, 6¾; powdered, 6¾; cubes, 7; Domino, [illegible].

FLOUR, GRAIN, HAY AND FEED.

(Corrected by W. S. Duncan Company.)

Flour, Sacked, Per Bbl.—Victory (in 48-lb. towel bags), $7.40; Victory (our finest patent), $7.25; Quality (in 48-lb. towel bags), $7.40; Quality (our finest patent), $7.25; Nell Rose (self-rising), $7.00; Gloria (self-rising), $7.00; White Lily (self-rising), $7.00; White Lily (self-rising, 12-lb. bags), $7.15; Royal flour (self-rising), $7.00; Puritan (highest patent), $7.00; Puritan (highest patent, 12-lb. bags), $7.15; Paragon (highest patent), $7.00; Home Queen (highest patent), $7.00; Swans Down (highest patent), $6.85; Pride of Denver (highest patent), $6.85; White Cloud (high patent), $6.65; White Daisy (high patent), $6.65; Ocean Spray (good patent), $6.40; Southern Star (good patent), $6.40; Sun Rise (good patent), $6.40; Sun Beam (good patent), $6.40; tulip flour (low grade), $5.40.

Meal, Sacked, Per Bu.—Meal, plain 144-lb. sacks, 84c; meal, plain 96-lb. sacks, 86c; meal, plain 48-lb. sacks, 87c; meal, plain 24-lb. sacks, 89c.

Grain, Sacked, Per Bu.—Corn, choice red cob, 89c; corn, No. 2 white, 87c; No. 2 mixed corn, 86c; oats, fancy white clipped, 59c; oats, No. 2 white, 58c; oats, No. 3 white, 55c; oats, mixed 5-bu. bags, 55c.

Seeds, Sacked, Per Bu.—Appler seed oats, 80c; winter grazing oats, 65c; Texas rustproof oats, 65c.

Hay, Etc.—Timothy, No. 1, small bales, $1.20; timothy, No. 2, small bales, $1.15; Bermuda hay, 85c; Johnson grass hay, 80c; C. S. meal, Harper's Prime, $33.00; C. S. meal, Buckeye Prime, $37.00; C. S. meal, Milco Feed, $33.00; C. S. meal, Creme Feed, $31.00; C. S. hulls, sacked, $13.00.

Chicken Feed, Per Cwt.—Purina pigeon feed, 100-lb. sacks, $2.70; Aunt Patsy mash, 100-lb. sacks, $2.45; Purina chowder, 100-lb. sacks, $2.45; Purina scratch, 12-package bales, $2.40; Purina scratch, 100-lb. sacks, $2.30; Victory chick, 100-lb. sacks, $2.30; Victory scratch, 100-lb. sacks, $2.10; Daisy scratch, 100-lb. sacks, $1.90; beef scraps, 100-lb. sacks, $3.35; beef scraps, per 50-lb. sacks, $1.85; oyster shell, per 100-lb. sacks, 85c; chicken wheat, per bushel, $1.45.

Ground Feed, Per Cwt.—Arab horse feed, $1.85; Re-Peter horse feed, $1.80; King Corn horse feed, $1.75; Rabbit horse feed, $1.65; A. B. C. horse feed, $1.55; June pasture dairy feed, $1.60; Alfalfa-Fat dairy feed, $1.50; Sucrene dairy feed, $1.60; choice alfalfa meal, 100-lb. sacks, $1.55; No. 1 alfalfa meal, 100-lb. sacks, $1.45; dried beet pulp, 100-lb. sacks, $1.70.

Shorts, Bran and Mill Feed.—Shorts, Red Dog, 100-lb. sacks, $2.00; Dandy middlings, 100-lb. sacks, $1.95; Wehman white shorts, 100-lb. sacks, $1.90; fancy mill feed, 75-lb. sacks, $1.85; P. W. mill feed, 75-lb. sacks, $1.70; Georgia feed, 75-lb. sacks, $1.70; gray shorts, 100-lb. sacks, $1.75; brown shorts, 100-lb. sacks, $1.65; germ meal, 100-lb. sacks, $1.65; germ meal, 75-lb. sacks, $1.65; bran, pure wheat, 100-lb. sacks, $1.40; bran, pure wheat, 75-lb. sacks, $1.40.

Salt—Salt brick (Med.), per case, $5.25; salt brick (plain), per case, $2.25; salt, ozone, 25 packages, per case, 90c; salt, Red Rock, per cwt, $1.10; salt, Chippewa, 100-lb. sacks, 57c; salt, Chippewa, 50-lb. sacks, 34; salt, Chippewa, 25-lb. sacks, 20c; salt, V. P., 100-lb. sacks, 56c; salt, V. P., 50-lb. sacks, 34c; salt, V. P., 25-lb. sacks, 20c; Myles salt, 100-lb. sacks, 52c.

Sugar.

New York, January 3.—The market for raw sugar showed a slightly easier undertone today, although there was no quotable change in prices, which continued on the following basis:

Centrifugal, 4.45 to 4.58; molasses, 3.68 to 3.81; Cubas, cost and freight, 3 9-16c. The only business reported was 10,000 bags Cubas afloat to an operator at 3 9-16c cost and freight, equal to 4.58 for centrifugal. Refiners were still out of the market and prices for distant shipment remained about the same, sellers asking 3½ for all January and 3⅝ for February and March shipment. Refined was unchanged and quiet at 5.95 for fine granulated.

Futures were irregular, closing 3 points lower to 4 points higher. January was under pressure because of notices, but late positions were sustained by trade and commission house buying. Sales, 2,300 tons.

Range in New York futures Monday:

	Open.	Close.
January		3.05@3.6[illegible]
February		3.39@3.41
March	3.35@3.41	3.37@3.40
April	3.38@3.44	3.45@3.48
May	3.45@3.52	3.51@3.52
June		3.54@3.55
July	3.58@3.63	3.58@3.60
August	3.60 bid	3.61@3.62
September	3.65 ofd	3.64@3.66
October	3.70 ofd	3.67@3.69
November		3.70@3.71
December	3.65 bid	3.73@3.74

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Whitney Shows More Gameness

SPORTS—EDITED BY DICK JEMISON.

WHITNEY GAMEST BOXER IN YEARS

Was Sick When He Boxed Welsh, According to Statement of Physician Prior to the Bout.

Frank Whitney gave further evidence of his gameness Saturday night when he boxed Freddie Welsh at the Casino Skating rink.

A physician stated prior to the bout that Whitney had several degrees of fever and that he had advised Whitney not to appear.

Whitney's work, therefore, attracted our closest attention. The Fighting Carpenter failed to show his illness, and to this moment has not mentioned it to a soul, as he would consider it in the nature of trying to alibi himself.

That's not Frank Whitney. If he's beaten, no one will ever hear a whimper out of Whitney.

Whitney caught a cold attending personally to all the details of the big fight, working in the rain constructing his ring, getting the seats into the hall and otherwise busying himself. He saw the bout through when many of those who attended would have been home in bed had they been half as sick.

Atlanta Set Right With New York Fans By Gotham Scribe

Atlanta and her boxing fans have been set right with New York and her fans.

Walter St. Denis, sporting editor of The New York Globe, in last Friday's issue printed a letter from the sporting editor of The Constitution, giving Atlanta's side of the Wolgast-Whitney controversy, which for a while threatened huge proportions.

Mr. St. Denis states the case clearly, and after Wolgast's poor showing against Cross, New York fans strongly believe Atlanta's side of the story.

Harvard's Dates.

Cambridge, Mass., January 3.—Both the University of Virginia and the University of North Carolina are given places on the Harvard football schedule for 1916 it was announced today. North Carolina will be met on October 14, which was an open date when the tentative schedule was announced recently.

Ten games in all are on the schedule, the other opponents being Massachusetts Agricultural college, Bates, Colby, Tufts, Cornell, Princeton, Brown and Yale. The Yale game will be played at New Haven on November 25.

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WELSH AND WHITNEY LEAVE FOR NEW YORK

Champion to Box Dundee, and Whitney to Tackle Cross in Near Future.

Freddie Welsh, accompanied by his manager, Harry Pollock, and Frank Whitney, accompanied by his manager, Eddie Harvey, will leave today for New York.

Welsh goes to Gotham to prepare for a bout that is pending with Johnnie Dundee in the near future, while Whitney also goes to prepare for the bout that he has with Leach Cross on January 12.

Whitney will probably be seen in Atlanta again in the near future, with Matt Wells, Benny Leonard, Charley White or Ted Lewis as his opponent.

TODAY IN PUGILISM

1907—Jim Flynn defeated Jack (Twin) Sullivan in 20 rounds at Los Angeles. This was the second fistic argument between these great old battlers, and the Pueblo fireman had distinctly the better of it, although he was not permitted to go to sleep on the job. Jim had an advantage in both height and weight over the veteran Twin. In a fight the previous year, Jim and Jack went 20 rounds to a draw. Sullivan demanded a return match after his defeat, and a little more than a month later they again mingled in a Los Angeles ring, with honors even. A fourth battle was staged in 1908, and again Jim and Jack battled on fairly even terms for 10 rounds. While both Jack Twin and Pueblo Jim have had many defeats marked up against them, the modern ring has had few boxers who have displayed as much of the old fighting spirit as these two war-scarred veterans. In the list of boxing stars who never held a title, Jim and Jack deserve places up near the top.

1901—Dick O'Brien won on foul from Sandy Ferguson in four rounds at Lewiston.

Baseball's Luckiest Guy Is Baumgartner, of Phils; Never Won a Single Game

Josh Devore's world's series luck has been surpassed.

Pitcher Baumgartner, of the Philadelphia Nationals, step forward and meet Atlanta fandom.

The record book shows that Mr. Baumgartner labored in sixteen battles for the Phillies during the 1915 season and in the win column in the record book opposite his name appears a large sized zero.

Not a single game did Mr. Baumgartner finish, yet he received a full slice of the world's series coin. Can you beat that for luck—you can't even tie it.

ATHLETICS ANNOUNCE EXHIBITION DATES

Philadelphia, January 3.—The Philadelphia American league baseball club today announced the schedule of games to be played by the Athletics during the spring training trip. After an opening series with the Philadelphia Nationals at St. Petersburg, Fla., March 23, 24 and 25, the squad will be divided into two teams. One team will leave Jacksonville, Fla., March 29 and play the following games:

March 30, 31 and April 1 at Chattanooga, Tenn.; April 3 and 4, Knoxville, Tenn.; 5 and 6, Asheville, N. C.; 8, Portsmouth, Va.; 10, Norfolk, Va.; 11 and 12, Newport News, Va.

The team remaining in Jacksonville will play the following games:

March 31, Boston Nationals; April 1, 3 and 4, Philadelphia Nationals.

Leaving Jacksonville April 5, the team will play games as follows: April 5, Philadelphia Nationals at Waycross, Ga.; 6, Philadelphia Nationals at Charleston, S. C.; 7, Philadelphia Nationals at Raleigh, N. C.; April 8, Richmond at Richmond, Va.; 10 and 11, Brooklyn Nationals at Brooklyn.

V. M. I. Football Dates.

Lexington, Va., January 3.—(Special.) Colonel Henry C. Ford, graduate manager of the Virginia Military Institute Athletic association, today made public the football schedule for the season of 1916.

The following is the schedule:

September 30, Hampden-Sydney, Lexington.

October 7, William and Mary, Lexington.

October 14, Gallaudet college, Lexington.

October 21, Maryland Agricultural college Park.

October 28, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

November 4, Catholic university, Lexington.

November 11, Clemson college, Richmond.

November 18, University of Virginia, Charlottesville.

November 30, V. P. I., Roanoke.

MOTORCYCLE RACERS ARE HURT IN SPILL

Bakersfield, Cal., January 3.—F. Montgomery, William Goudy and Otto Walker, motorcycle racers, were victims of a smash-up today that cost the life of Montgomery. Goudy probably was fatally injured, and Walker was seriously hurt. One of the riders lost control of his machine on a curve. The other two, following closely, collided with him, and all plunged into a fence. The men were practicing on the local speedway.

POWDERHALL MARATHON IS WON BY G. M'CREA

Edinburgh, Scotland, January 3.—The Powderhall Marathon, of 15 miles, was won by G. McCrea, of Scotland, who finished 12 yards ahead of Hans Holmer, of New York, second. The winner's time was 1:21:55. Holmer won in 1914 and was third in last year's race.

PEACE COMMITTEE MEETS WEDNESDAY

Expected That the Baseball War Will Be Finally Settled Then—Commission Elects Officers Today.

Cincinnati, Ohio, January 3.—The committee appointed at the recent meeting of the baseball peace conference to settle the dispute between the Federal and International leagues will meet here next Wednesday at noon. This decision was reached at a meeting of the members of the national commission here today.

At the meeting various matters that have to do with the readjustment of baseball affairs to conform with the recent treaty of peace were discussed informally. The waiver question, insofar as it concerns the Federal league players, was taken up, thoroughly gone into and then laid over to be decided finally by a joint committee on Wednesday.

Another meeting of the national commission will be held tomorrow and it is probable that the officers for the year will be chosen at that time.

Members of the national commission expressed themselves as being disappointed when informed that President Gilmore could not be present at the peace committee meeting, but said it would not interfere with the meeting here when called.

Sinclair's Position.

New York, January 3.—"Harry Sinclair, owner of the Newark Federal league franchise, will not guarantee all Federal league contracts nor will he dispose of all the Federal league players," said James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal league tonight. "There has been an erroneous opinion ever since the peace meeting that Mr. Sinclair will guarantee the salaries of all Federal league players and it seems time for me to deny it. The only contracts Mr. Sinclair guarantees are those of the Newark club.

"There also is a wrong impression that Sinclair will dispose of all the players of the Federal league. He will dispose of the players of the Newark, Kansas City and Buffalo clubs, as well as Kauff, Magee and Anderson, of the Brooklyn club."

Gilmore said that Chairman Herrmann, of the national commission, had suggested a meeting of the peace commissioners in Cincinnati Wednesday, but the date was not convenient to the Federal league men, and he has suggested the continuance of the peace negotiations in New York January 10.

When questioned as to the report that Sinclair will buy the New York Giants, Gilmore said: "It is no secret that Mr. Sinclair has been negotiating for the purchase of the Giants for some time."

To Close Brown Deal.

St. Louis, January 3.—Harry F. Sinclair, Oklahoma oil magnate, who, according to reports, is in the market for the New York National League Baseball club, arrived here today en route to New York. About the same time E. J. McDiarmid, a stockholder in the St. Louis Americans, arrived here from his home, Cincinnati.

This afternoon Sinclair, McDiarmid, Phil Ball and Robert Lee Hedges, president of the St. Louis Americans, began a conference at which it was expected the deal for the sale of the team to Ball and his Federal league associates would be completed. Late tonight the conference still was in session.

Ball about a week ago paid $30,000 as earnest money in the deal for the Browns. Both he and Hedges have declined to state the price for which the Browns are to pass to Ball and his associates in pursuance of the peace agreement, but reports agree that the price will be in the neighborhood of $400,000.

Sinclair's participation in today's conference gave rise to the rumor that he would have a financial interest in the St. Louis club.

BROWNS MAY CHANGE NAME TO TERRIERS IN 1916 SEASON

The St. Louis Browns may exist no more.

In their stead will probably be the St. Louis Terriers.

It is believed that with the change in ownership of the Browns, Phil Ball, of the St. Louis Feds, purchasing the Browns at the recent baseball peace meeting, that he will insist on the name of the Federal team for the reorganized Browns.

Manager Fielder Jones is also in favor of the name Terriers. The matter may be left to the fans, who superstitiously may believe that the change in name will have some effect on improved play by the team.

RUMORED SINCLAIR WILL BUY NEW YORK GIANTS

Chicago, January 3.—It was learned here today that Harry Sinclair, the Oklahoma capitalist, is making a hurried trip direct from St. Louis to New York, with the intention, according to reports, of discussing the purchase of part of the stock of the New York National league club. Charles Weeghman, while denying knowledge of the status of the negotiations, said he knew Mr. Sinclair would be pleased to take over the Giants.

Rifle Championship.

Washington, January 3.—Bridgeport, Conn., displaced King Mills, Ohio, as high club in the second week's competition of the inter-club gallery rifle championship. The present standing, announced tonight by the National Rifle association, follows:

Bridgeport, 1,977; Kings Mills, 1,973; Warren, Pa., 1,962; Bucyrus, Ohio, 1,953; Buffalo, 1,948; Marion, Ohio, 1,947; District of Columbia, 1,944; Manchester, N. H., 1,925; New Haven, 1,886.

Wills Bests Langford.

New Orleans, January 3.—Harry Wills, of New Orleans, was given the decision over Sam Langford, of Boston, after twenty rounds of hard fighting here tonight. They are negro heavyweights. The bout was announced as being for the negro heavyweight championship of the world. Tommy Burns was referee.

Dobbs to Manage Pelicans.

New Orleans, January 3.—At the annual meeting here tonight of the stockholders and directors of the New Orleans baseball club, A. J. Heineman was re-elected president, and John Dobbs appointed manager of the New Orleans 1916 team.

MISSING HOOVER BOY LOCATED AT GENOA

Washington, January 3.—The state department today cabled instructions to the American consul at Genoa to arrange for the transportation home of Frank M. Hoover, of Charlotte, N. C., who ran away from home in October and has just been located at Genoa by the state department through representations made by Representative Webb, of North Carolina. The boy shipped on an Italian vessel and his parents sought the assistance of the government in tracing him. Money to pay for his ticket home was cabled today.

Packard "Twin Six" Cars are now being delivered. As a result we have a few Six Cylinder Rebuilt Packards for sale.
H. B. ODELL

Everything For the Recall Is a Blackball Against Atlanta.

TINKER GIVES OUT PLAYERS FOR SALE

Provided Cubs Are Sold to Weeghman by Taft, Tinker Will Sell Bunch of Cubs and Whales.

Chicago, January 3.—Manager Joe Tinker has sent to each American and National league manager a list of thirty-three players he would be willing to trade, providing the sale of the Cubs to Charles Weeghman goes through. The transfer of the Cubs is expected to take place this week.

Minus the players listed, the squad which will form the nucleus of the team includes twenty-two men, of whom fourteen were Whales last year and eight were Cubs.

The players Manager Tinker would put on the market are:

Pitchers—Pierce, Humphries, Adams, Douglas, Schorr, Robbins, Wright, Standridge, Hogg (Cubs), Brennan and Anderson (Whales).

Infielders—Keating, Schultz, McLarry, Phelan, Fisher (Cubs), Beck, Farrell, Hauser, Fritz, Westerzil, Pechous, Weiss and Jackson (Whales).

Outfielders—Williams, Good, Knisely, Allison, Murray (Cubs), Hanford (Whales).

Catchers—Bresnahan, Hargrave, Wallace (Cubs).

Those to be retained are:

Pitchers—Vaughn, Zabel (Cubs), Brown, McConnell, Bailey, Prendergast and Hendrix (Whales).

Infielders—Saier, Zimmerman, Mulligan, McCarthy (Cubs), Doolan, Zeider and Tinker (Whales).

Outfielders—Schulte (Cubs), Flack, Zwilling and Mann (Whales).

Catchers—Archer (Cubs), Wilson, Fischer and Clemon (Whales).

The Pittsburg Nationals, through Manager Callahan, today opened negotiations for some of the players. Callahan said he wanted a pitcher, catcher, outfielder and infielder.

Chicago, January 3.—Tinker's list did not include Pitcher Lavender. Some time ago he was quoted as saying Lavender probably would be retained. Williams will be offered to Cincinnati in a trade for Goth, it is said.

Mr. Weeghman said today he would leave for Cincinnati next Wednesday night unless summoned in the meantime by Mr. Taft.

DECEMBER VERY WET, SAYS WEATHER REPORT

Month Must Be Considered a Mild Winter One, Declares Mr. von Herrmann.

That December is regarded as a mild winter month is shown by the report of the section director dealing with the weather conditions. Interesting comparative records are contained in the report and it is shown that the month was decidedly wet.

The December report is as follows:

Although the mean temperature at Atlanta was half a degree below the thirty-seven-year average, the month must be considered a mild winter month because the temperature did not fall below 27 degrees. The temperature was slightly below freezing on only nine days and the lowest, 27 degrees, occurred on the 10th. The slight deficiency in monthly mean temperature resulted from the absence of any notably high temperatures during the day, the maximum for the month being only 63 degrees on the 24th. The most interesting comparative records are as follows: Extremes, highest 75 degrees on January 12, 1890, and lowest 2 degrees below zero on January 11, 1886; warmest January, 1889, with a mean of 57 degrees, and coldest, 1909, with a mean of 38 degrees, as compared with a normal of 44.6 degrees.

The month, however, was decidedly wet. Unusually heavy rains fell on the 17th (3.85 inches in 24 hours) and on the 28th (3.49 inches in 24 hours) and considerable precipitation fell on eight other days, bringing the total for the month to 9.07 inches, or no less than 4.50 inches above the thirty-seven-year average. The snowfall was only a trace. Slightly more precipitation occurred at Atlanta only once before in January, namely in 1905, when the amount was 9.54 inches. The least amount was 0.60 in 1889.

The prevailing wind direction was northwest and the average hourly velocity was 12 miles an hour. Maximum velocity, 42 miles northwest on the 17th.

There was a rather large number of cloudy days, namely fifteen, and only ten clear days. Thunderstorms occurred on the 17th, 28th and 29th. On the whole the month was not a disagreeable one.

C. F. von HERRMANN,
Section Director.

PLANNING TO EXTEND FOREIGN TRADE SERVICE

Washington, January 3.—Recommendations for extension and improvement in the federal government's foreign commercial service, outlined in a recent report of a committee of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, have been approved almost unanimously by the commercial organizations holding membership in the chamber. The vote was 719 to 6, the 307 organizations participating in the referendum being permitted one to ten votes each.

In making public the vote tonight the chamber announced that as a result it felt committed to work for the following changes in the foreign commercial service:

An increase in staff and appropriations for the Washington headquarters of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce; appointment of a director of the field service and separate appropriations for collection and exploitation of samples and literature and more liberal traveling expenses; appointment of five new commercial attaches to cover Italy, Scandinavia, Spain, Austria, Japan and Turkey; creation of the new position of foreign trade commissioner and the appointment of commissioners to Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, British India, Greece, the Balkan states, East Indies and Central America; renewed efforts toward promoting commerce in Latin-America; Americanization of the consular service; elevation of eleven consular agencies to consulates; establishment of fifteen consulates where there are no American consular representatives, and more adequate and frequent inspection of consular offices.

$60,000 Loss by Fire.

Gordonsville, Va., January 3.—The fire which threatened to destroy the entire business section of Gordonsville early today was checked by the timely arrival of the Charlottesville fire department. More than a dozen buildings, containing store rooms with residences above, were burned. The damage is estimated at $60,000, partly covered by insurance.

ATLANTA'S STRIDES FROM DAY TO DAY

Permits issued during the first working day of the New Year were greater in value than those issued on the same days of last year by a small margin. Monday's permits aggregated $26,115, including $24,500 worth of small residence permits.

M. L. Rauschenberg took permits to build four brick veneer residences, the aggregate cost of which will be $12,000. J. H. Whisenant took $10,000 worth of residence permits, and J. O. Moore took a $2,500 residence permit.

Such activity in the line of residence building has not been witnessed in the past month as was demonstrated at the building inspector's office on Monday. During December only sixteen residence permits were issued, while on Monday nine such permits were registered.

Mr. Whisenant will build a one-story frame dwelling house, costing $2,500 each on the following streets: One on Marian avenue in the third ward section and three on McLoud avenue, near Grant Park.

Mr. Moore will build a one-story, seven-room dwelling house at No. 366 Lucile avenue, West End, costing $2,500.

Mr. Rauschenberg will build a one-story, brick veneer house on Greenwich avenue, costing $3,000; another brick veneer bungalow at 355 Lucile avenue, costing $3,000; and two brick veneer bungalows on Langhorn avenue near Lucile avenue, the aggregate cost of which will be $6,000.

Auto House Lease.

Forrest & George Adair have leased to the Maxwell Motor company a storeroom at No. 165 Peachtree street. The Adairs own this building and it is a part of that property between the Aragon hotel and the Grand building. The storeroom is to be used for a showroom.

Business Change.

Sol Epstein, formerly of the Strauss-Epstein company, dealers in loans and mortgages, has accepted the position of manager of the health and accident department of the Aaron Haas Sons & Howell. Mr. Epstein will continue his loan and mortgage business.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Warranty Deeds.

$1,430—Interstate Land company to T. J. Ware, lot on east side of Glenwood drive, 72 feet north of Ridgeland way, 100x155 feet. December 29, 1915.

$1, love and affection—J. R. Betterton to Mrs. Ollie Mae Waterhouse, lot on east side of Ashby street, 106 feet south of Avon avenue, 52x150 feet. No date.

Mortgage.

$1,000—Shaw Stewart to Georgia Savings Bank and Trust company, No. 263 Ormond street, 50x150 feet. January 1, 1916.

Sheriff's Deeds.

$630—Mrs. E. F. Bussey (by sheriff) to Mrs. E. H. Bussey, No. 130 High street, 50x120 feet. December 7, 1915.

$630—Same to same, No. 128 High street, 50x120 feet. December 7, 1915.

Bonds for Title.

$9,000—Mrs. Bertha L. Holbrook to M. M. Grinnell, No. 241 Greenwood avenue, 50x100 feet. December 31, 1915.

$300,000—Forrest & George Adair to H. H. Dean, lot on west side Whitehall street, 106 feet north of Hunter street and running through to Broad street, 27x100x15x73x48x94x5x80 feet. December 22, 1915.

Loan Deeds.

$100—Mrs. Odessa S. Payne to W. McC. Miller, lot on south side of Houston street, 319 feet northeast of Jackson street, 52x237 feet. December 28, 1915.

$500—Mrs. Mary E. Ellsworth to Mrs. Pearl Treadwell, No. 31 Newton street, 50x80 feet. December 31, 1915.

$500—Mrs. E. H. Bussey to Mrs. Mary C. Field, No. 128 High street, 50x120 feet. December 31, 1915.

$500—Same to same, No. 130 High street, 50x120 feet. December 31, 1915.

Quit-Claim Deeds.

$64,768—Atlanta and West Point railroad to Louisville and Nashville Railroad company and Atlantic Coast Line Railroad company, lot on northeast side of Hunter street, 204 feet southeast of Central avenue, 100x120 feet. January 13, 1915.

$1—Mrs. Larrie Lee Mizell to H. Rudich, No. 161 Grant street, 50x175 feet. December 31, 1915.

$5—B. M. Grant et al. to Walton Realty company, lot on northeast side of Walton street, 25 feet west of Powell's line, which point is 136 feet northwest of Spring street, 28x76 feet. December 27, 1915.

Lien.

$25—Sanitary Plumbing company v. estate of Mrs. J. J. Mangham, No. 52 Old Wheat street. January 1, 1916.

Building Permits.

$7,500—J. H. Whisenant, McLendon street, one-story frame dwelling. Day work.

$7,500—J. H. Whisenant, McLendon street, three one-story dwellings. Day work.

$6,000—M. L. Rauschenberg, Langhorne street, two one-story brick veneer dwellings. Day work.

$3,000—M. L. Rauschenberg, Greenwich street, one-story veneer dwelling. Day work.

$3,000—M. L. Rauschenberg, 355 Lucile avenue, one-story brick veneer dwelling. Day work.

$400—H. Jacob, 106 Connally street, fire damage. F. T. West, contractor.

COST OF LOCAL WANT ADS IN THE CONSTITUTION

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3 Insertions	6c a line
7 Insertions	5c a line

1c per word flat for classified advertising from outside of Atlanta.

No advertisement accepted for less than two lines. Count six ordinary words to each line.

Discontinuance of advertising must be in writing. It will not be accepted by phone. This protects your interests as well as ours.

The Constitution will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

If you can't bring or send your Want Ad, phone Main 5000 or Atlanta 5001.

Courteous operators, thoroughly familiar with rates, rules and classifications, will give you complete information. And if you wish, they will assist you in wording your want ad. to make it most effective.

Accounts opened for ads by telephone to accommodate you if your name is in the telephone directory. Other want ads taken by telephone are to be paid for immediately upon publication, bill to be presented by mail or solicitor the same day printed.

EVERY HOME HAS USE FOR CONSTITUTION WANT ADS.

PERSONAL

CASH For any discarded jewelry. For any watches or diamonds. For any discarded false teeth. Send us any diamonds, watches, old gold, platinum or silver jewelry, new or broken; any false teeth, with or without gold; any dental fillings, painters' gold leaf cotton, or auto magneto points; nothing too large or too small. We send value in cash on receipt of goods. Your goods returned at our expense should our offer be refused within 10 days. Established 1899. Liberty Refining Co., 431-K Liberty ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

THE ADAMSON DRY CLEANING CO.
SOLICITS your patronage. They have the most up-to-date service to offer. Wagon calls twice a week from either address—100 SOUTH PRYOR STREET and 166 ELIZABETH STREET. Main 1416, Ivy 5347.

HAVE you indigestion? We will cure it permanently or refund every cent paid and will return 10 per cent over amount paid as well. A post card to Lock Box 281, Atlanta, Ga. We will call. Best of references.

MME. VALAIRE WORLD'S greatest medium, can be consulted on all affairs of life. Hours, 9-9. 110½ Whitehall. Main 3956.

MATERNITY SANITARIUM—Private, refined, home-like; limited number of patients cared for. Homes provided for infants. Infants for adoption. Mrs. M. T. Mitchell, 26 Windsor street.

GAME hunters, take notice! Taxidermy work of all kinds done. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices right. F. P. Cockburn, 207 Sells ave., Atlanta.

IT PAYS to learn dressmaking and ladies' tailoring. Make your clothes while learning. New Era School, 26-B Carnegie Way.

WE make switches from combings for $1. Gallaher Hair Dressing Parlors. 70½ Peachtree street.

HAIRWORK of all kinds made. Mrs. S. Chevalier, 340 Luckie St. Main 4613-J.

FREE scholarship; particulars in Sculpture modeling. Com'l Art School, Atlanta, Ga.

MAIN SPRINGS, 50c to advertise. McDuffie, 156 Peachtree. Cash for old gold.

EDUCATIONAL

LEARN the system of shorthand officially adopted and taught by the city of Atlanta. Investigate our $25 scholarships. Easy payments. Simplex Shorthand School, 63 East Mitchell street, Atlanta.

SPANISH—Wanted students for private lessons in Spanish; can teach the best methods; rates reasonable. For particulars write D. R. Tourial, the Werner Apts.

PARISIAN FRENCH—For efficient method write Prof. Jacques Grommes, 292½ Capitol ave.

LOST and FOUND

LOST articles sometimes are never found; often they are stolen with no chance of recovery, but when picked up by honest persons they will get back to the owner if advertised in this column.

FORD CAR STOLEN
$25 REWARD

FIVE-PASSENGER FORD, 1915 model, 1915 license, No. 5424, engine No. 636151. Equipped with Fisk tires, glass out right lamp; speedometer cable broken; new coil box and right front fender. Notify Burdett Realty Company, 116 Candler Bldg.

LOST—Monday afternoon, $12 sterling silver basin engraved B. D., between Rich's, Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose or Davison-Paxon-Stokes. Finder call I. 3934. Reward.

LOST—Sealed envelope containing money between Hunter st. and Cone's or in Cone's. Reward if returned to Miss Mary White. Call Main 3695 or Atlanta 3520.

OPEN-FACE Elgin movement gold watch, and black silk fob, with gold pendant; both monogrammed C. H. S. Reward if left at 503 Fourth National Bank building.

LOST OR STRAYED—Bull dog, Boston terrier; weight about 20 pounds; dark brindle and straight tail. Answers to name of "Spike." Phone Ivy 8232-J.

SIX mules strayed from the National Stock yards. Notify S. S. Hall. Phone Main 393.

LADIES' gold watch, Elgin movement, boys' picture in front. "Jess" on fob, in J. P. Allen's, Atlanta 1327; reward.

LOST—Sunday, gunmetal mesh bag; reward. Miss Dickert, Ivy 4839.

HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED—Male

STORES AND OFFICES.

WANTED—A large manufacturer of Atlanta wants sales manager for feed department. Must have had experience in selling cattle feed and must also be able to handle sales force, advertising, etc. Good position for the right man. Must be in position to take charge at once. Give references and state experience. Address P. O. Box 1555, Atlanta, Ga.

WANTED BOOKKEEPER—Bright young man, must be over 21 and employed. Good position for the man who is ambitious and knows bookkeeping. Give name of present employer, references, etc. All replies treated strictly confidential. Address J-53, Constitution.

PROFESSIONS AND TRADES.

YES—If you have two hands, Prof. G. O. Branning will teach you the barber trade for $30, and give wages while learning; paying position in our chain of shops. Atlanta Barber College, 10 East Mitchell st.

WANTED—Brick mason on small contract. Apply at once. Pratt Engineering and Machine Co.

WANTED—Electrical wireman one week's work; expenses paid. Report with tools to Board of Lights and Water, Marietta, Ga.

WANTED—First-class machinist; good pay. Phone Ivy 4911.

SALESMEN AND SOLICITORS. TRAVELING SALESMEN.

WE REQUIRE IN SOUTHERN TERRITORY TWO A-1 ALUMINUM WARE SALESMEN, THE NEWEST AND BIGGEST SPECIALTY LINE IN THE UNITED STATES. WE TRAVEL LARGE TOWNS AND CITIES. EARNING POSSIBILITIES VERY GREAT FOR STRONG SALESMEN. APPLICANTS MUST BE MORE THAN 25 YEARS OF AGE AND HAVE SUCCESSFUL RECORD AS SALESMEN. THIS IS A STRAIGHT TRAVELING PROPOSITION; NO CANVASSING; EXCLUSIVE TERRITORY; TRAVELING EXPENSES ADVANCED; REFERENCES REQUIRED AND PERSONAL INTERVIEW. E. F. WHITE, 307 FORSYTH BLDG., ATLANTA.

SALESMEN—We need capable, direct to consumer salesmen who, after a short training, can develop into wagon salesmen, route foremen and branch managers. A-1 references required. Salary and commission. Jewel Tea Company, 125 Auburn ave.

AGENTS.

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON DEAD

TWO memorial editions of his life; one written by Dr. Washington himself, price $1.25; one by Frederick E. Drinker, price $1. Each a complete story of his life. Our books contain a complete report of his sickness, death, funeral and memorial exercises held at Tuskegee Sunday, December 12. We are in center of south. Can get books to you instantly by express prepaid. Credit given. Beautiful outfits that get the business. Agents wanted. Order outfit of your choice; each 15 cents or both 30 cents. R. L. Phillips Publishing Co., Atlanta, Ga.

AGENT wanted in each county for 15 high-grade new specialties needed in every home; also high-class specialty salesman for new helps for merchants; big commission. Huse Co., 520 Temple Court bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

WANTED—Magazine subscription agents, everywhere in town and country; very live proposition. O. J. Espy & Co., Summerville, Georgia.

WANTED—Specialty salesman acquainted in Atlanta. Inclose stamp and phone number. D. L., care Constitution.

WANTED—Agents. A new discovery. It is in big demand. J. W. Lucus, Cusseta, Alabama.

MISCELLANEOUS.

STUDY LAW AT HOME. UNIVERSITY EXTENSION METHOD. THE DEGREE LL.B. CONFERRED.

To secure the co-operation of a few local students and to directly advertise its extension law department, a well-known university will place a limited number of complimentary $100 tuition credits in this state. Applicants must be of age; references required. Apply Mr. Lively, Ansley Hotel.

WANTED—A first-class soda dispenser and front man for a new drug store. One that is willing to begin on a moderate salary and grow with the business; state age and salary expected in first letter; also state experience and references. Address Experienced, care Constitution.

WE want men at once to learn the barber trade. We can teach you this trade in a few weeks' time. Wages while learning, tools furnished. Located at 18 N. Forsyth street, best location in city. MOLER BARBER COLLEGE.

PRESSMAN for lithograph offset press wanted. Give experience had, salary desired, class of work handled. Open shop. Knoxville Lithographing Company, Knoxville, Tenn.

ON and after January 1 we guarantee to secure positions in 60 days or return money. For position see us. American Employment Agency, 614 Healey bldg. I. 7141.

WANTED—Man with horse and rig to carry newspaper route. A hustler can make good money. Apply City Circulation Department Constitution.

WANTED—Men to try examinations for government jobs, $70 month. Common education sufficient. Apply immediately. Box F-572, Constitution.

WANTED—Butler. Must have A-1 reference; also a good cook. Apply at once. 614 Healey building.

WANTED—One auto mechanic; reference required; in city. Call at once. 614 Healey building.

FIRST-CLASS machinists, who are accustomed to fine, accurate work. Apply Riddell Bros., 16 East Mitchell street.

HELP WANTED—Female

DOMESTIC.

WANTED—One colored maid to stay on lot; salary $4 per week. Apply at once. 614 Healey building.

WANTED—One colored woman to do general housework. Apply at once 614 Healey Bldg.

MISCELLANEOUS.

EXPERIENCED job press feeder. Apply Dittler Bros., 216-18 E. Hunter.

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—A canvasser to sell talking machines in Atlanta; state salary expected and experience. Add. P. O. Box 209, Atlanta.

WHEN in need of any kind of reliable colored help, apply Missionary Workers' Employment Agency, 158½ Auburn. Ivy 4627-L.

EXPERIENCED advertising solicitors, ladies or gentlemen. "Stenographer," Ivy 9124.

FOR POSITIONS as stenographer or bookkeeping, register with Miss Hitt, 613 Grant building. Phone—Ivy 3232.

WANTED—Teachers

WANTED—High-class teacher of expression and literature, would like room and board on north side in exchange for lessons. Address "Doris," Office of Constitution Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

ACME Teachers' Agency. Best service, most liberal terms, free to school board. 1233 Healey building, Atlanta, Ga. Ivy 7098.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

FOR SALE—New piano taken for debt; never used and have no use for it. Will sell far below regular price to get rid of it. Genuine bargain. Address G. D. J., care Constitution.

MUSIC AND DANCING

DANCING—Private and class lessons. Lane's, 217½ Peachtree st. Ivy 6756.

SITUATION WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—Male

AN ANSWER TO YOUR AD OR several of them may be sent in as late as a week after your ad last appeared in The Constitution. Such responses are the result of several forms of special service which The Constitution is rendering in behalf of Situation Wanted advertisers. So, if you want a wider range of choice before accepting a position, hold your box number card and call at or phone to The Constitution frequently for at least a week.

SPECIAL rates for Situation Wanted ads.: Three lines one time, 10 cents; three times, 15 cents. To get these rates, ads must be paid in advance and delivered at The Constitution office.

BOOKKEEPER, thoroughly familiar with corporate accounting and finance. Present contract expires in February. Could arrange to begin at once. Good references. Long experience. Manufacturing or wholesale business preferred. Address J-51, care Constitution.

MECHANICAL engineer, technical graduate, with 15 years' varied engineering experience, wishes a position at the south in an executive, technical or sales capacity. Address Box F-586, care Constitution.

DRUGGIST—Has position now, but wishes a change at once; four years' experience; good references; college graduate. Don't mind work. Address Druggist, 135 Holderness street, Atlanta.

POSITION by young man, at present employed as assistant cashier of bank, but desires change with chance of promotion. References. Young, care Constitution.

MAN with family wants two-horse farm on shares or would consider wages; can give best reference. Address W. M. P., Chamblee, Ga., R. No. 1, care Meadow Land Farm.

SITUATION WANTED—Married man; references, experienced collector, bookkeeper, salesman, especially groceries; will do anything. Address C. D. N., 52 Walker street.

THOROUGHLY experienced double entry bookkeeper open for position January 15; best reference. Address D. D., P. O. Box 1034.

WANTED—Industrious man and son wants job on farm. Address J-70, care Constitution.

EXPERIENCED combination bookkeeper and shorthand man is open for position; good record. Address J-65, care Constitution.

WANTED—Position by construction eng., 10 years' exp., in R. R., paving, subdivision work; A-1 ref. C. G. R., 80 E. Alexander.

EXPERIENCED white chauffeur, competent, reliable; can make minor repairs; reasonable salary. Address J-73, care Constitution.

POSITION by young man of 22, any honest work, with future considered. Address J-77, care Constitution.

SITUATION WANTED by an experienced lumber salesman. Address Box 219, Cincinnati.

WANTED—Will work 2 weeks in automobile garage for experience. Address J-69, Constitution.

AN experienced male stenographer; must have work; can furnish best of references. Address J-75, care Constitution.

SITUATION WANTED—Female

SPECIAL rates for Situation Wanted ads: Three lines one time, 10 cents; three times, 15 cents. To get these rates, ads must be paid in advance and delivered at The Constitution office.

EXPERIENCED young lady stenographer, desires position at once. Prefer place where part of time may be devoted to assisting with books or other office work. Call Ivy 6388-J.

YOUNG LADY, 5 years' experience as stenographer, bookkeeper and cashier, desires position; references. Address J-59, care Constitution.

STENOGRAPHER, 3 years' experience in automobile line, desires position; able to handle portion of correspondence without dictation. Address J-60, care Constitution.

EXPERT stenographer and office assistant, now employed, desires to make change. References furnished. Address J-30, Constitution.

WANTED—Position by refined lady sick nurse; give best of reference from doctors; maternity a specialty. Ivy 4274-J.

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position. Ivy 2305-J.

SITUATION W'T'D—Male and Female

Attention, Business Men!

THE CLEARING HOUSE FOR EMPLOYMENT, 611 Chamber of Commerce building, can furnish high-grade help in trades and professions. Ivy 7110, Atlanta 60. Office hours, 9:30 to 1, 3 to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9:30 to 1 p. m. Applications for positions taken daily.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

WANTED—TRAVELING MAN, PREFERABLY SOUTHERN REPRESENTATIVE OF SOME EASTERN CONCERN WHO HAS MODERATE AMOUNT OF STENOGRAPHIC WORK, TO SHARE WITH ME DURING 1916 ONE OF THE BEST LOCATED AND PRETTIEST OFFICES IN CITY. HIGH-CLASS ONLY. PHONE IVY 2587.

SELL your farm or business quickly for cash; no matter where located; trades a specialty. Information free. Kubat Realty Company, Chippewa Falls, Wis., Desk 27.

FOR SALE—Grocery and market business, good location, fine trade; reasonable rent. Address J-67, care Constitution.

BARGAIN SACRIFICE—County seat country weekly and job office to quick purchaser. Address J-79, Constitution.

FOR SALE—Stock dry goods, shoes, fixtures, cheap. "H.," 418 Marietta st.

FOR SALE and WANTED

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

ATLANTA REBUILT FURNITURE EXCHANGE

BUYS used household goods and exchanges new for old. Furniture of all kinds for sale at cut prices. H. A. Martin, Manager; E. A. Hartsock, Secretary, 108-10-12 South Forsyth street. Phone Main 778.

THE EVERETT PIANO
R. P. BECHT CO.
Southern factions.
139 AUBURN AVENUE.
We rent good pianos, $3 per month up.
We sell good pianos, $5 per month up.
PHONE IVY 2169.

COAL "IDEAL" ROUND JELLICO, $4.00. OLIVER BLOCK JELLICO, $4.50. GATE CITY COAL COMPANY. Bell Phone, Main 666-J; Atlanta 815.

WE have a lot of counter and floor show cases, cash register, one Toledo scale and grocery counters, all in first-class condition. Phone, call or write us. Atlanta Show Case Company.

LEAVING CITY—For sale at a bargain one large gas range, one Majestic range and a few other articles. 123 East Pine. Ivy 4791-J.

ONE 4-foot floor show case, gas arc lamp, electric coffee mill, computing scales. Will sell cheap. Inquire 6 Auburn avenue.

REMINGTON typewriter, model No. 7; practically new. Accept any reasonable offer. Ivy 904-L.

GENUINE JELLICO $4.00
L. B. Jackson Coal Co. M. 2704; Atl. 844.

FOR SALE—Piece of plate glass 47x66x5-16 for desk top, beveled edges. Call L. E. Kamper, Ivy 5000. Kamper Grocery Co.

FOR SALE—Two gas lamps, four burners each; also one computing scale, cheap. Call West 1312.

FOR SALE—Two large fireproof safes, one with burglar chest, first-class condition. R. W. Ellis, 1109 Atlanta Nat'l Bank bldg.

LINDERMAN piano, in perfect condition, less than half price for cash. Ivy 795.

WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—SWEET MILK
30 TO 40 GALLONS daily from country. Forrest Ave. Creamery. Ivy 6281.

WE PAY highest cash prices for household goods, pianos and office furniture; cash advanced on consignment. Central Auction Company, 12 East Mitchell St. Main 2424.

DROP A CARD, we'll bring cash for men's shoes and clothing. The Vestiare, 156 Decatur street.

OLD VIOLIN. Must be cheap for cash. S. 511 Forsyth bldg.

CASH paid for old furniture. Dixie Furniture Company, 85 S. Forsyth. Main 5170-J.

CASH FOR all kinds second-hand clothes. Drop a card. 154 Decatur street.

Get Out of the Rut

IF YOU DON'T LIKE YOUR WORK YOU WILL NEVER MAKE A SUCCESS OF IT. TRY A SITUATION WANTED AD AND GET WORK YOU LIKE IF YOU CAN'T FIND ONE YOU WANT ON THIS PAGE.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY—On Personal Property

PRIVATE PARTY LOANS
$25 to $300
AT SPECIAL LOW RATES ON FURNITURE
PIANOS, ETC., without removal. Payments to suit your own convenience. Other companies paid off, and more money advanced at cheaper rates.
STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL
Private offices. When in need you will make a saving by getting my terms first. Call, write or phone
CHARLES B. ROSS
Room 512, Empire Life Bldg.
84 PEACHTREE ST.
Bell Phone—Ivy 9347; Atlanta Phone 1775. OPEN TUESDAY AND SATURDAY EVENINGS UNTIL 10 P. M.

MONEY FOR SALARIED PEOPLE AND OTHERS upon their own names; cheap rates, easy payments; confidential. Scott & Co., 820 Austell building.

MONEY—On Real Estate

Edward C. Peters, Pres. Jas. W. English, V. P. John K. Ottley, Treas.
ATLANTA SAVINGS BANK
DEALER IN MORTGAGES.
LOANS made on improved Atlanta real estate straight 3 to 5 years; also monthly plan. Purchase money notes bought. Loan agents State Mutual Life Assurance Co., Worcester, Mass. George L. Word, Special Agent, Real Estate Loan Department, 206 4th Nat'l Bank Bldg.

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The following schedule figures are published only as information and are not guaranteed.

Atlanta Terminal Station.

*Daily except Sunday. †Sunday only.
Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic.

Effective May 30.	Arrive.	Leave.
Brunswick, Waycross and Thomasville	6:10 am	7:30 am
Brunswick, Waycross and Thomasville	7:10 pm	10:30 pm

Sleeping cars on night trains between Atlanta and Thomasville.

Atlanta and West Point Railroad Company.

No.	Arrive From—		No.	Depart To—	
42	West Pt.	3:15 am	35	New Or.	6:25 am
18	Colum's	10:55 am	15	Columbus	6:45 am
38	New Or.	11:50 am	33	Montg'y	9:10 am
40	New Or.	2:15 pm	39	New Or.	2:00 pm
34	Montg'y	7:10 pm	17	Columbus	4:05 pm
30	Colum's	7:45 pm	37	New Or.	5:30 pm
36	New Or.	11:35 pm	41	West Pt.	5:45 pm

Central of Georgia Railway.
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Arrive From—		Depart To—	
Savannah	6:25 am	Savannah	8:00 am
Thomasville	6:25 am	Albany	8:00 am
Albany	6:25 am	Macon	12:30 pm
Macon	6:25 am	Macon	4:00 pm
Jacksonville	6:53 am	Jacksonville	8:40 pm
Jacksonville	7:40 am	Valdosta	8:40 pm
Macon	10:50 am	Savannah	9:20 pm
Savannah	4:20 pm	Jacksonv'e	10:15 pm
Macon	7:00 pm	Thomasv'e	11:59 pm
Albany	7:55 pm	Albany	11:59 pm

City Ticket Office, Fourth National Bank building, Peachtree and Marietta streets. Telephone—Main 496.

Southern Railway.
Premier Carrier of the South.

No.	Arrive From—		No.	Depart To—	
23	Jackson'e	5:55 am	36	N. Y.	12:01 am
35	New York	6:05 am	20	Colum's	6:15 am
1	Jackson'e	6:10 am	1	Chicago	6:30 am
12	Shrevep't	6:30 am	23	Kan. City	6:35 am
17	Toccoa	8:10 am	12	Richm'd	6:55 am
26	Heflin	8:20 am	7	Chatta'a	7:10 am
8	Chatta'a	10:35 am	23	Ft. Val'y	7:15 am
27	Ft. Val'y	10:45 am	16	Brunsw'k	7:45 am
7	Macon	10:45 am	6	Jackso'e	11:30 am
21	Colum's	10:55 am	38	N. Y.	12:05 pm
40	Memphis	11:25 am	40	Charl'e	12:15 pm
6	Cincin'l	11:20 am	29	Birm'm	12:35 pm
29	N. Y.	12:10 pm	30	N. Y.	3:25 pm
30	Birm'm	2:10 pm	15	Chatta'a	3:00 pm
39	Charl'e	4:20 pm	18	Toccoa	4:45 pm
5	Jackson'e	4:40 pm	5	Cincin'l	4:50 pm
37	N. Y.	5:00 pm	22	Colum's	5:10 pm
15	Bruns'k	7:00 pm	39	Memphis	5:15 pm
11	Richm'd	8:00 pm	28	Ft. Val'y	5:20 pm
31	Ft. Val'y	8:00 pm	10	Macon	5:30 pm
13	Jackson'e	8:10 pm	25	Heflin	5:45 pm
16	Chatta'a	9:15 pm	13	Cincin'l	6:20 pm
2	Chicago	9:45 pm	2	Jackso'e	9:55 pm
24	Kan. City	9:55 pm	24	Jackso'e	10:05 pm
19	Colum's	10:25 pm	14	Jackso'e	11:15 pm
14	Cincin'l	11:05 pm	11	Shrevep't	11:30 pm

All Trains Run Daily, Central Time. City Ticket Office, No. 74 Peachtree St.

Union Passenger Station.

*Daily except Sunday. †Sunday only.
Georgia Railroad.

No.	Arrive From—		No.	Depart To—	
2	Charle'n	6:10 am	2	Aug. and East	6:00 am
3	Wilmi'n	6:10 am	6	Augus'a	12:10 pm
11	Buckh'd	7:40 am	8	Augusta	3:30 pm
†13	Buckh'd	9:35 am	12	Buckh'd	6:10 pm
1	Augusta	1:15 pm	†14	Buckh'd	5:00 pm
5	Augusta	4:35 pm	4	Charl'n	8:35 pm
7	New York and Aug.	8:20 pm	4	Wilmin'n	8:35 pm

Louisville and Nashville Railroad.

Effective Nov. 21—	Leave.	Arrive.
Cincinnati-Louisville, Chicago and Northwest	4:45 pm	11:40 am
Cincinnati and Louisville	7:13 am	10:05 pm
Knoxville via Blue Ridge	7:25 am	5:00 pm
Knoxville via Cartersville	7:18 am	10:05 pm
Knoxville via Cartersville	4:45 pm	11:40 am
Blue Ridge accommodation	3:40 pm	10:30 am

The 10:05 p. m. train will arrive Terminal Station.

Seaboard Air Line Railway.
Effective January 2, 1916.

No.	Arrive From—		No.	Depart To—	
11	N. Y.	7:00 am	11	Birm'm	6:30 am
11	Norfolk	7:00 am	30	Monroe	7:00 am
11	Washin'n	7:00 am	6	N. Y.	3:00 pm
11	Portsm'h	7:00 am	6	Wash'n	3:00 pm
17	Abbe,S.C.	8:50 am	6	Norfolk	3:00 pm
6	Birm'm	2:50 pm	6	Ports'h	3:00 pm
22	Memphis	12:10 pm	6	Richm'd	3:00 pm
22	Birm'm	12:10 pm	23	Birm'm	3:45 pm
5	N. Y.	5:00 pm	5	Birm'm	5:20 pm
5	Washin'n	5:00 pm	5	Memphis	5:20 pm
5	Norfolk	5:00 pm	18	Abbe,S.C.	4:00 pm
5	Portsm'h	5:00 pm	12	N. Y.	8:30 pm
12	Birm'm	9:00 pm	12	Norfolk	8:30 pm
29	Monroe	8:00 pm	12	Portsm'h	8:30 pm

City Ticket Office, 88 Peachtree St.

Western and Atlantic Railroad.

No.	Arrive From—		No.	Depart To—	
3	Nashville	7:10 am	94	Chicago	8:15 am
73	Rome	10:25 am	2	Nashville	8:30 am
93	Memphis	11:55 am	92	Memphis	4:55 pm
1	Nashville	6:25 pm	72	Rome	5:15 pm
95	Chicago	8:20 pm	4	Nashville	8:50 pm

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81 W. BAKER, 3 connecting rooms and bath, all conveniences; reasonable. Ivy 5944.

UNFURNISHED—SOUTH SIDE.
ENTIRE second floor, 3 connecting rooms, private bath; conveniences for housekeeping; to couple only. References. Owner. 138 Cooper street.

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512 CAPITOL AVE.—3 con. upstairs rooms; bath, hot water, lights; adults. M. 5871-J.

FURNISHED—SOUTH SIDE.
TWO nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences; reas. 133 S. Pryor St. Main 4189-L.

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IN one of West End's prettiest houses, 2 or 3 rooms, with private bath, large house; family of 2 adults; steam heat, electric lights, hot water; reasonable. West 714-L.

TWO large, connecting rooms, bath, adults. Only $8. 67 Whitehall. West 389.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.
ROOMS, fur. or unf., all modern conveniences; price reasonable. 28 Cooper St.

FOR RENT—Housekeeping Rooms

NORTH SIDE.
335 COURTLAND, 2 nicely fur. front housekeeping rooms, complete, to couple; private home; bath, phone—every convenience. Reasonable.

ONE room and kitchenette; furnace heat; also two unfurnished rooms. 514 Peachtree street. Apply 534 Peachtree.

TWO large connecting rooms for light housekeeping, hot bath, lights; all conveniences, including phone. 40 W. Baker st.

TWO furnished rooms and kitchenette, two doors off Peachtree, $15. 54 East Alexander street.

TWO nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences, close in. 226 Ivy St. Ivy 5991-L.

IDEAL suite of 1 R., with kitchenette; upstairs, front. Atl. 5924-A. 34 Carnegie way.

60 E. ELLIS ST., extra nice housekeeping rooms with all conveniences. Ivy 5601-L.

TWO connecting, fur. rooms, with running water and heat; reasonable. 30 E. Ellis st.

DESIRABLE unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone Ivy 3974-L.

THREE completely fur. rooms, private bath, right price to right party. Ivy 2814-J.

SOUTH SIDE.
171-A CAPITOL AVE., one large room and kitchenette, connecting, completely furnished for light housekeeping; all conveniences. Main 3417-L.

33 COOPER ST., two rooms and kitchenette, unfurnished, $8; close in. Main 6353-J.

WEST END.
TWO connecting rooms, furnished complete, sink in kitchen, private home. West 763-J.

WANTED—Rooms

WANTED—Three connecting rooms for light housekeeping; must be near Lee and Gordon streets, West End. Phone West 25-J. Mr. Lowe.

BY COUPLE, small furnished apartment, near Peachtree. Address J-47, care Constitution.

APARTMENTS, HOUSES, ETC.

FOR RENT—Apartments

UNFURNISHED.
340 COURTLAND St., a first floor flat of four rooms. It is nicely papered and has gas, bath, hot and cold water and electric lights, within 10 minutes walk of Five Points. Rent, including water, $20.60. Chas. P. Glover Realty Co., 2½ Walton street.

FOR RENT—Nice five-room, steam-heated apartment; conveniences; sleeping porch. 442 West Peachtree street. Phone Ivy 7260-J.

BEAUTIFUL 4-ROOM APARTMENT, EAST FIFTH STREET, LARGE ROOMS, TILE BATH, FURNACE HEAT, HOT AND COLD WATER. JANITOR. IVY 4254-J.

TWO rooms, kitchenette and tile bath; large single room, private bath; all steam-heated. Ivy 7098.

SEVEN ROOMS, nicely arranged for two couples. 84 Williams, near W. Baker.

TWO new modern 5-room apartments, sleeping porches. 329 Lee. West 853.

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APARTMENTS FOR RENT
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FELD REALTY CO.
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Phone—Ivy 4079.

FURNISHED.
TO PARTIES with or without children, five rooms, steam heated, north side apartment, large rooms, elevator service, every convenience, nicely furnished, beautiful mahogany furniture and piano; reasonable rent; references exchanged. J-15, care Constitution.

FOR RENT—Nicely fur., steam-heated outside room, adjoining bath; all conveniences, $15 a month. Corinthian Apts., 136 W. Peachtree. Call M. 4596 for information.

ONE 4-room fur. apt., up-to-date. Apply 11 Currier st., Apt. B. References required. No children. Price $35.

WANTED—Apartments

FURNISHED.
WANTED—If any one wishes to sublet their furnished apartment of three or four rooms for several months phone Ivy 4692. Bank reference.

FOR RENT—Offices

FOR RENT—Offices in Constitution building; all modern conveniences. See John Knight.

DESIRABLE OFFICES, single and en suite. Some of these are equipped with compressed air and dental waste; hot and cold water in all offices; all night elevator service; location best in the city and service unexcelled. Candler building, Candler Annex and Forsyth building. Asa G. Candler, Jr., Agent. Phone Ivy 5274. 222 Candler building. See Mr. Wilkinson.

ONE-HALF my office, with use of Bell phone, $9 month. Apply 904 Empire bldg.

FOR RENT—Farms

GOOD FARM, fine section, in sight of city. Owner, 232 Spring stret.

FOR RENT—Stores

$40 PER MONTH, modern store on Broad street, plate glass show windows, between Hunter and Mitchell streets. George P. Moore, 10 Auburn avenue.

STORE ROOM on Mitchell street, between Whitehall and Terminal Station. Can make unusually attractive lease. George P. Moore, 10 Auburn avenue.

FOR RENT—Typewriters

TYPEWRITERS
TYPEWRITERS rented four months for $5 and up. Initial payment applied in case of purchase. Catalog No. C-79 free. Supplies and repairs a specialty. American Writing Machine Company, 48 North Pryor street, Atlanta, Ga.

FOR RENT—Miscellaneous

IF YOU want to rent apt. or business property, see B. M. Grant & Co., Grant Bldg.

FOR RENT—Houses

UNFURNISHED.

HOUSES, stores, offices and business space for rent. A phone message will bring our rent bulletin by mail, or a polite, intelligent representative to help you find what you want. George P. Moore, 10 Auburn avenue. Phones—Ivy 2360 and 2827; Atlanta phone 3498.

6-ROOM cottage in Inman Park, first-class condition, sleeping porch, hot water heater in kitchen; large garden; all conveniences. Ivy 5401-J.

5-ROOM COTTAGE, hot and cold water, gas, 20 minutes' walk from town, excellent neighborhood; can be had furnished if permanent. 193 Crew. Ivy 5531.

Decatur Homes for Rent
Phone Decatur 149. Jones & Ramspeck.
SPLENDID 8-room house, between Peachtrees, furnace, hardwood floors, screens; servant room, sleeping porch. Owner, I. 2155.

FOR RENT—Six-room bungalow on north side; terms very reasonable. Call Ivy 8765-J, after 8 p. m.

OUR weekly rent list gives full description of anything for rent. Call for one or let us mail it to you. Forrest & George Adair.

FOR RENT—A nice 6-room house, close in, with all conveniences. 178 Crew st.

FURNISHED.
FOR RENT—Nicely furnished 7-room, modern house, on St. Charles avenue; will only entertain one who can give guarantee to properly take care of place. Address J-57, care Constitution.

FOR RENT—Furnished, an 8-room furnace-heated house on West Peachtree street; electric lights, gas, water, newly painted inside and out; handsomely furnished. In business hours call Main 1649.

FOR RENT—Completely fur. 6-room St. Charles ave. bungalow; furnace heat. Call Ivy 5088-L.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.
FOR quick results list your vacant houses with Beasley & Hardwick, 603 Empire Bldg.

FOR results list your property with Sharp, Boylston & Day, 12 Auburn avenue.

REAL ESTATE

WANTED—Real Estate

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NORTH SIDE.
NORTH SIDE
HAVE a very attractive bungalow with six rooms, hall and sleeping porch. Nu-tile roof, guaranteed ten years; furnace-heated, quarter sawed oak floors in three rooms, glass knobs, woodwork finished in mission, bookcases in plate glass, beautiful electric showers; bath room has tile, kitchen has linoleum on floor; has nice pressed brick mantel. This is a very attractive bungalow and must be seen to be appreciated and is only half block from car line. Street cherted and has gas, electricity, water, sewer and every convenience. Lot 50x151 to alley. Price, $4,350. Terms, $500 cash, assume a loan of $2,500 and balance monthly. Call Ivy 296, from 5 to 7 p. m.

REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

NORTH SIDE.

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204-210 Grant Building.

HOPKINS ST. LOT—Just off Lucile avenue, elevated and level. This lot is in one of the most delightful sections of West End and the price is exceedingly cheap. $1,350, on easy terms.

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HIGHLAND AVENUE LOT—Just north of Ponce de Leon avenue, 61x220 feet, level and shady. Cheapest lot no the street at the price. $2,650, on reasonable terms.

NEAR the Georgian Terrace and just off Ponce de Leon avenue, beautiful new brick veneer home of 8 rooms, artistic and up-to-date, $7,000; easy terms. J. R. Nutting & Co. Phone, Ivy 5.

SOUTH SIDE.
FOR SALE—Or rent, newly painted, good as new, 6-room cottage; gas and electric lights, 293 Cooper street, around the corner from Georgia avenue public school. Owner, 409 Equitable Bldg. Ivy 5678.

INMAN PARK.
INMAN PARK—Six-room bungalow, all conveniences and improvements. Will sell at sacrifice price, $2,750, $650 cash, loan $1,700, balance monthly notes without interest. Phone Owner, Main 4492 or Ivy 752.

SUBURBAN.
HANDSOME new 6-room bungalow, with every convenience, in best section of Decatur; large, elevated lot. Price, $3,500; small cash payment. Well worth $4,000. W. H. S. Hamilton, 204 Equitable Bldg. Ivy 5234.

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IF IT IS real estate you want to buy or sell, it will pay you to see me. A. Graves, 24 East Hunter street.

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A SMALL FARM
WELL watered and close in, adjoining Bowden spring; 15 acres with new 5-room bungalow style house, in Austell, Ga., for $2,050; any kind of terms; no loan to assume. John A. Humphries, owner, 19½ Peachtree st.

IN HABERSHAM county, apple orchard of 1,600 trees, 2 to 3 years old; 100 acres of land and ideal location for some 3,000 trees. Will sell at sacrifice price within next thirty days. Address J-61, care Constitution.

GEORGIA FARM, acreage tract, near Atlanta. If interested will mail bulletin. Brotherton & Callahan, East Point, Ga. Bell phone, East Point 416.

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IN THIS BEAUTIFUL APARTMENT HOUSE we have two 5-room apartments, with sleeping porches enclosed. They are just off of Ponce de Leon avenue, and surrounded by beautiful homes of this section; have steam heat, hot and cold water, gas ranges and refrigerators. Let us show you these. See us for price.

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WEST END BUNGALOW AT A BARGAIN
ON A GOOD WEST END STREET we have a 6-room bungalow with all city conveniences. Price reduced from $3,750 to $2,800, $100 cash, balance $30 per month.

ST. CHARLES AVENUE BUNGALOW
ON THE VERY BEST PART OF ST. CHARLES AVENUE we have a 7-room bungalow with every known convenience. Price, $6,750, $1,000 cash. This is one of the prettiest and best arranged bungalows in the city. Call us for an engagement to see this place.

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CHOICE HOMES—MUST SELL

$6,850—Handsome brick veneer, 8-room house, right close to Ponce de Leon avenue. It has lovely hardwood floors, tile bath room and furnace. We can arrange reasonable terms. If you want a home you should see this place, sure.

$10,000—PONCE DE LEON AVE. home, not far from Peachtree street. This is a lovely section; a nice 9-room house. You can't buy anything close in same locality for $6,000 of this price, but the owner must sell; can arrange terms. If you want a home on Ponce de Leon, see us. We have it.

MARTIN-OZBURN REALTY COMPANY
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LODGE NOTICES

A regular convention of Uniform Lodge, No. 123, Knights of Pythias, meets this (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock, at the Pythian Castle Hall Kiser building, corner of Hunter and Pryor streets. Installation of officers. All qualified Knights cordially invited to attend.

J. ED WALKER, C. C.
B. L. OWENS, K. of R. & S.

A regular communication of Georgia Lodge, No. 96, F. & A. M., will be held in Masonic Temple this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock sharp. The Entered Apprentice degree will be conferred. Candidates for same will present themselves promptly. All duly qualified brethren are cordially invited to meet with us.

J. N. G. NESBIT, W. M.
M. Z. CRIST, Secretary.

East Point Lodge, F. & A. M., No. 238, will hold their regular communication at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, in our hall over D. G. Jones' store on Main street. Entered Apprentice degree will be conferred by Brother S. N. Thompson. Brothers of other lodges in good standing are cordially invited to meet with us. By order of

L. KENDRICK, W. M.
J. A. YEAST, Secretary.

Enlarging Plant.

Columbus, Ga., January 3.—(Special.) The work of greatly enlarging the plant of the Chero-Cola company is under way. The foundations have been prepared and the rest of the brick construction will go forward steadily.

GEORGIANS MOURNING FOR JUSTICE LAMAR

Burial Will Occur in Augusta Wednesday—Tribute by Chief Justice White.

By John Corrigan, Jr.

Washington, January 3.—(Special.)—Mourned in death by thousands of sorrowing friends and accompanied by three former associates of the supreme court of the United States, the body of Justice Joseph Rucker Lamar will leave Washington tomorrow afternoon on a special car attached to the Atlantic Coast Line train, for its final resting place in Augusta. Mrs. Lamar and her two sons, William and Phillip Lamar, and Dwight L. Pendleton and wife, of Winchester, Ky., brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Lamar, will accompany the body.

A guard of honor representing the supreme court consists of Associate Justices Vandevanter, Pitney and McReynolds. Marshal Ryan, of the court, will be in charge of the car. Judge William Dunbar, of Augusta, a life-long friend and now postmaster of the house, will also go down.

The funeral will take place in Augusta about noon on Wednesday from the First Christian church, and the members of the court will return that afternoon to Washington for the opening of the court on Thursday. All flags on the capitol were displayed today at half-mast as a mark of sorrow.

Tribute of Chief Justice.

Chief Justice White in announcing the death of Justice Lamar and the adjournment of the court until Thursday said:

"It gives me the profoundest sorrow to state the severance which has taken place of those ties of personal affection and respect which united us to our brother, Mr. Justice Lamar, caused by his untimely death last night. And this sorrow, I know, is shared by his brethren of the bar to whom he was so strongly and devotedly attached, and will, I am confident, be participated in by all his countrymen as they come to feel that the country will be for the future deprived of the blessings which would have come from the future discharge of his duties as a member of this court with that conspicuous ability and enlightened devotion to duty so clearly manifested during the period which has gone by since he took up his duties here this day five years ago."

The Georgia delegation in congress will meet tomorrow to adopt resolutions of respect to the memory of the distinguished jurist.

A floral offering was sent today by the delegation in the lower house. Senators Hoke Smith and Hardwick sent individual offerings. Telegrams of condolence poured in upon the family. President Wilson, was among those who expressed his sympathy.

Georgians Are Sorrowful.

Following are some of the comments on the passing of Justice Lamar:

Senator Hoke Smith—"All Georgians can take a just pride in the splendid record made by this great man. He did more than win the respect of the bench and bar, he won their admiration for his scholarly attainments. His deep knowledge of the law, his industry and his poise."

Senator Hardwick—"I feel a very deep personal bereavement in the death of Judge Lamar. He was my friend since boyhood. He was not only a great lawyer, he was a great man—a man of the highest attainments and the highest character. I think the loss to our state, to the country and to the bench is irreparable."

Representative Vinson—"I am deeply grieved at the death of Judge Lamar. He has worthily illustrated Georgia in his private and official life. His place will be hard to fill."

Representative Adamson—"I think he was in every respect the equal of any justice on the bench. His early and unexpected death is a great calamity. I hope the president will exercise his usual sagacity and select another able Georgian for the vacancy."

Representative Tribble—"I considered Judge Lamar one of the cleanest men with whom I ever came in contact. I felt a special pride in his career from the fact that he was born in my district, in Ruckersville, Elbert county."

Representative Howard—"The state loses a great and good man and the law one of its most illustrious exemplars in his passing."

Washington expects that the mantle of Judge Lamar will fall upon the shoulders of John W. Davis, of West Virginia, solicitor-general of the department of justice, although Secretary of the Interior Lane and former Solicitor General Lehman, of St. Louis, are being discussed.

It was believed here today that because of the important cases now awaiting consideration before a full court, President Wilson will make an appointment at once to fill the vacancy caused by Justice Lamar's death. Last fall when Justice Lamar's health became impaired, and when a movement was started to retire him on full pay.

Augusta Prepares for Funeral.

Augusta, Ga., January 3.—Telegrams have been received in Augusta from members of Justice Lamar's family directing that the funeral be held from the First Christian church on Wednesday morning a short time after the arrival of the funeral party from Washington. Dr. Howard T. Cree, the pastor, and a close friend of Justice Lamar, will conduct the services. The interment will be in the Summerville cemetery here.

Savannah, Ga., January 3.—In the United States court here this morning a memorial service was held for Associate Justice Joseph R. Lamar, who died in Washington last night. Judge W. W. Lambdin adjourned court upon motion of General P. W. Meldrim, ex-president of the American Bar association, who took occasion to pay a beautiful tribute to the dead jurist. Colonel William Garrard and F. M. Oliver, prominent members of the local bar, also spoke, as did Judge Lambdin.

Hot Springs, Va., January 3.—President Wilson today sent to the widow of Justice Lamar, of the supreme court, the following telegram:

"My heartfelt sympathy goes out to you in your tragical loss, which the whole country has reason to mourn. It has lost an able servant, and I have lost in him one of my most loved friends."

Georgia Bar Acts.

Macon, Ga., January 3.—(Special.)—Thirteen members of the Georgia Bar association have been appointed by President George W. Owen, of Savannah, to act as honorary escort of the body of the late Justice Lamar, upon the occasion of his funeral at Augusta Wednesday morning, the list being announced by Secretary O. A. Park.

The escort is: Olin S. Candler, Alexander C. King and Robert C. Alston, of Atlanta; Judge A. L. Miller and Orville A. Park, of Macon; Judge S. L. Adams, A. S. Lawton and George W. Owens, of Savannah; Judge W. A. Little, Henry R. Goetchius, of Columbus; Judge Emory J. Cobb, of Athens; Samuel R. Bennett, of Albany; Judge Joseph W. Bennett, of Brunswick.

NEGRO CHARGED WITH INSULTING WHITE WOMAN

Dave Dumes, a "dudishly" dressed negro, is now under arrest at police station as the result of "tipping" his hat and making insulting remarks to two young women while they were walking on Decatur street towards Peachtree street last night.

SUNDAY CLOSING LAW DECLARED TO BE VALID

Portland, Ore., January 3.—Oregon's Sunday closing law, enacted in 1864, and which for many years has languished, was declared constitutional and effective today in federal court here. The law prohibits transaction of business on Sunday by mercantile establishments, grocery stores, pool and billiard halls and other places of amusement. The only concerns permitted to do business on Sunday are bakeries, hotels and undertaking establishments.

RAIL RATE ADVANCE ALLOWED BY ALABAMA

Montgomery, Ala., January 3.—An order giving the Western of Alabama, Central of Georgia, Seaboard Air Line and Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic railroads the right to charge 10 per cent more than published rates on all commodities in the eight groups, with the exception of those bearing percentages and relating to fertilizers, was issued by the Alabama public service commission today. The charge may be continued until June 30.

COTTON MILL WORKERS REJECT WAGE ADVANCE

Nashua, N. H., January 3.—Union cotton mill operatives throughout New England will not accept the 5 per cent wage increase which many manufacturers announced would go into effect today, according to a statement by John Golden, of Fall River, president of the United Textile Workers. Union operatives, Golden said, have for a time been considering a demand for a 10 per cent increase.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

ALSTON—Friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harwell Alston, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Alston are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Robert Harwell Alston, from the Methodist church at Austell, Ga., Wednesday at 11 o'clock. Friends from Atlanta desiring to attend can leave Atlanta at 7:10 a. m., returning leave Austell at 1:25 p. m.

CLARKE—The friends and relatives of Mr. Ernest F. Clarke, who passed away in Oklahoma City, Mrs. Ernest F. Clarke, Mr. Fred C. Clarke, Mr. Hulbert Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Woodson Clarke, Mr. Arthur Clarke, Mr. George Clarke and Miss Caroline Clarke, all of Oklahoma City, formerly of Atlanta, and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Beatie, of Albany, Ga., are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Ernest F. Clarke, this (Tuesday) January 4, 1916, at 3 p. m., from the chapel of H. M. Patterson & Son. The Rev. C. B. Wilmer will officiate and the interment will be in West View cemetery. The gentlemen selected as pallbearers will please meet at the office at 2:45.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Watts wish to express their heartfelt thanks for the thoughtful kindness and sympathy extended them by their many friends in their recent bereavements. They especially appreciate the beautiful floral offerings.

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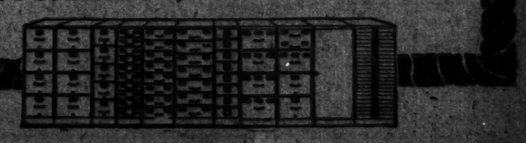
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